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London Report Says Brazil Has Broken With German Empire

Sinking of Brazilian Steamer by Germans Leads to Severance; Switzerland Will Take Over South American Republic's Interests; American Steamer New York Struck by Mine Near Liverpool But No Casualties Are Reported.

FIRES DESTROY GRAIN ELEVATORS

By Associated Press.

LONDON, April 10.—Diplomatic relations between Brazil and Germany have been broken off, according to the Evening News.

RIO JANIERO, April 10.—The official report regarding the sinking of the Brazilian steamship Penna which the government has been awaiting before taking definite action toward Germany is believed to have been received today from the legation in Paris. It is expected the government this afternoon will sever relations with Germany.

Switzerland will take charge of Brazilian interests at Berlin.

AMERICAN LINER STRIKES MINE.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The American liner New York struck a mine at 7.40 P. M. last night five miles off Liverpool bar. No casualties were reported. The vessel later proceeded to Liverpool. Consul Washington at Liverpool, reporting the incident to the State Department today, said:

"The American liner New York struck a mine at 7.40 P. M. last night five miles off Liverpool bar. Company reports passengers landed at Liverpool except four, who are still on the ship. No casualties. Vessel proceeded under her own steam and is now (1.40 A. M.) entering the harbor."

MEXICANS STIR UP TROUBLE IN GUATEMALA

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala, April 10.—Martial law has been declared in Guatemala. The action was taken on information of disturbances among the Mexican and Salvadorean frontiers, supposed to have been created with German assistance.

TWO BIG GRAIN ELEVATORS DESTROYED BY FIRE

MINNEAPOLIS, April 10.—Two grain elevators were destroyed by fire believed to have been of incendiary origin early today. The total loss will be nearly $500,000. It was estimated. National guardsmen patrolling the district reported that several explosions were heard in the structures before the flames were discovered.

The Marfield Grain Company was the heaviest loser. More than 100,000 bushels of wheat, valued at about $200,000 were burned. The building was valued at $150,000.

An hour earlier the Quinn-Shepardson Company's elevator, several blocks away, was destroyed by fire with a loss estimated at $50,000. The structure contained about 50,000 bushels of corn.

GERMAN PROPAGANDIST JAILED IN PITTSBURG

PITTSBURG, April 10.—Walter Zacharias, a chemical consulting engineer, was arrested today by federal authorities and interned in the county jail for the period of the war. Zacharias, the authorities say, has been active for several years in collecting money to be used in furthering the propaganda for the central powers and in organizing foreign miners in the Pittsburg district for strikes. He first came under notice of the federal authorities 18 months ago and has since been under surveillance. Efforts of influential Germans and Austrians to secure his release failed.

BRITISH PENETRATE ENEMY POSITIONS NEAR ARRAS

BERLIN, April 10.—Regarding the fighting on the western front, today's army headquarters statement reports the "battle near Arras continued."

"The British" continues the statement, "succeeded in penetrating our positions on the road radiating from Arras, but did not break through."

NEW YORK DOCKS AT LIVERPOOL; ALL ARE SAFE

NEW YORK, April 10.—The New York docked safely at Liverpool at 1 A. M., English time, and all passengers are safe, according to a cablegram here today. The damage to the vessel was small, the message stated.

NO NEW GUARD UNITS WILL BE RECOGNIZED

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Plans for the national guard were definitely outlined today by the War Department. Adjutant generals of the states have been informed that no new units of the guard will be recognized except such special forces as may be necessary to complete divisional organization and those which have armories in definite localities and have other indications of "probable permanency."

KITCHIN READY TO PILOT WAR PROGRAM IN HOUSE

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Democratic leader Kitchin today announced his readiness to pilot the administration war program through the House. He voted against the war resolution and there was some doubt of his position. He also announced that he would give the Democratic caucus an opportunity to decide if it desired to depose him as House leader. While a large majority of the Democrats disagreed with his opposition to the war resolution, the general feeling is that he voted his convictions, and now that he is willing to take charge of the war measure, he is not open to attack.

MIDDLE WEST MAY GET U. S. ARMY PLATE PLANT

WASHINGTON, Apr. 10.—Secretary Daniels will announce tomorrow or possibly late today the location selected for the $11,000,000 armor plate plant and $1,700,000 projectile plant. Rear Admiral Fletcher, head of the selection board, has submitted recommendations to the secretary after a thorough inspection of more than 200 sites throughout the country.

There was an impression among naval officers that the plant will be located in the Middle West, probably in Ohio, West Virginia or Kentucky.

PARADE TO MARRIAGE LICENSE BUREAUS HALTED

CHICAGO, April 10.—Obstacles were placed in the way of the parade to the marriage license bureau. Since the beginning of the war with Germany, the number of daily applications has reached an unprecedented figure. Observing that 1,216 of the 1,250 applicants yesterday were of military age, County Clerk Sweitzer eliminated his emergency force of 20 clerks, leaving the normal force of four.

"Let 'em wait," said Mr. Sweitzer.

The second obstacle was a plan to place recruiting officers, clear-eyed young men in uniform, there, to ask each applicant the direct question, "Are you going to side-step your duty?"

Libel Suit Discontinued.

A discontinuance was signed yesterday in the suit of Martin M. Beiss against Stefan Ferenc in which the plaintiff demanded $15,000 for alleged libel. Ferenc is said to have retracted the statement published in a Slavish newspaper charging Beiss with fraud, and to have paid the costs and attorneys' fees.

Coughenour's Buggy Returned.

The horse and buggy belonging to W. E. Coughenour, stolen Saturday night from Apple street, where it had been parked, were returned yesterday. The horse was found free of the buggy and was taken to a livery stable at Vanderbilt. The buggy was found near Vanderbilt, with the harness in the seat.

Deed Recorded.

A deed has been recorded for the transfer of a lot fronting 34.11 feet in Blackstone avenue from Mary R. Hogg and others to Edith P. Hirst; consideration $175.

Billy Bishop Back.

W. C. Bishop is back from New Orleans where he spent several weeks. He was in Washington last Friday when the war declaration was signed

FLAG STOLEN; HE HAS ONE PAINTED ON HOUSE FRONT

By Associated Press.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., April 10.—Although born in Germany and not yet a naturalized citizen here, Edward Arnrein wishes nobody to misunderstand his sympathy in the present war.

Last Friday Mr. Arnrein hung a big American flag from the porch of his home and during the night it was stolen. Now he has painted the national emblem on the house wall, covering the entire space between the front door and the parlor windows.

SMASHING DRIVE BY BRITISH GAINS MORE POSITIONS IN WEST

By Associated Press.

LONDON, April 10.—The British offensive between Lens and St. Quentin, with which the spring operations have been opened and which is still in progress, has proved even more successful than earlier operations indicated.

General Sir Douglas Haig today reports that yesterday's captures exceeded 9,000 men while 40 guns fell into the hands of his troops.

The Canadians, who had one of the hardest bits of the front to contend with, are now in complete occupation of the famous Vimy ridge, even its eastern slope having been cleared of Germans. The Canadians also have repulsed German counter attacks.

These reactions by the Germans indicate the importance they attach to this position whence the conqueror looks down over the plain of Douai. With Vimy ridge gone the whole German line covering the French towns and industrial districts to the north becomes a wavering line and any leisurely retreat the Germans may have planned is made uncertain and precarious.

With the capture of the famous ridge the British made a stride along the road to Douai while the capture of the high ground northwest of St. Quentin tightens the claim which the Anglo-French forces are drawing around that town.

A German division southwest of Ypres, according to General Haig's report, met with no success.

32 SEEK MINE FOREMAN PAPERS

Parochial School Hall Scene of Annual Tests; Fire Boss Examinations Friday.

Thirty-two men are taking the examination for mine foreman certificates in the parochial school hall today. The examining board consists of P. J. Walsh of Connellsville, inspector in the Ninth bituminous district; John W. Greaves, Sr., of Dunbar, representing the operators, and James Conway, of near Trotter, representing the miners.

The mine foreman examinations continue for three days. On Friday, the examination for fire boss will be held.

It had been planned at first to hold the examinations in the Knights of Columbus hall, Title & Trust building, but at the last moment it was found impossible to get the hall, and the examiners chose the parochial school as the next best place.

About 45 men are expected to take the examination for fire boss Friday.

The 32 men who are taking the mine foreman tests are: Joseph Patnesky, Yukon; Walter Barricklow, Joseph Hofer, John Cassidy, John H. Williams, and Frank C. Morrow, Wyano; Laurence Gon, Vanderbilt; William I. Shannon, Madison; Frank Mitchell and George Stephenson, Mount Pleasant; Elmer Swink and James P. Hanley, Adelaide; Harry Smitley, Stauffer; Roy Butt and H. H. Burkott, Connellsville township; Louie L. McKeever, Frank F. McClain, Charles Stinger, Peter W. Menster, Alex Bennett, John D. Duncan, and Michael O'Laughlin, Connellsville; Joseph Alexander, Stephen O'Laughlin, Charles P. McIntyre, Leisenring; Henry Rittenberger, Frank Malna, John Bales and John Harris, Dunbar township; Anthony Gilmore, Charles Humbert and Thomas Kelly, Dunbar.

Buy Coal at Ligonier.

The Connellsville Coke & Coal company has purchased 57 acres of land in Ligonier township from Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Murphy for $10,000. The tract of land is known as the William McKelvey farm. The sale was made March 22, and the deed was placed on file in the recorder's office yesterday.

Mayor Has Fine Flag.

A large new American flag made its appearance at Mayor Marietta's East Crawford avenue residence yesterday.

125 TO 250, MANY WOMEN AND GIRLS, REPORTED DEAD WHEN MUNITIONS PLANT GOES UP

By Associated Press.

CHESTER, PA., APRIL 10.—A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION AT THE GREAT PLANT OF THE EDDYSTONE AMMUNITION CORPORATION AT EDDYSTONE, PA., A MILE FROM THIS CITY, IS REPORTED TO HAVE KILLED FROM 125 TO 250 PERSONS AND INJURED AT LEAST 300 MORE.

A railroad official asserts that nearly 300 were killed, but this estimate cannot be confirmed.

At the undertaking place of Coroner White, there are 80 bodies, 79 being those of girls

Thousands of girls were employed at the plant, most of them coming from Philadelphia, 10 miles away They were attracted by the high wages paid.

The explosion occurred soon after 10 o'clock in the pellet room of the shrapnel building, where 100 girls were employed putting finishing touches on shells.

No official of the company was found who could tell anything about the explosion. There were whispers of a plot to destroy the plant. If there was one, no more effective spot could have been selected. It was near the Delaware river bank and well isolated. The plant was originally constructed soon after the European war started by the Baldwin Locomotive interests. Recently it was taken over by the Russian government which has been employing about 10,000 people making shells The place had been guarded night and day and after dark immense searchlights made every portion of the ground as light as day. In addition, secret service men and detectives worked in the various departments, disguised as munition makers.

SOLDIER GUARDING SODOM BRIDGE RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN

Stewart Fulton of Philadelphia Seriously Injured When Struck By No. 42.

GUN CAUSES THE ACCIDENT

Guardsman's Rifle, Strapped Over His Shoulder, Caught by Passing Train and He Is Whirled About and Thrown Beneath Wheels of a Coach.

The first blood shed for his country since war was declared against Germany is that of Stewart Fulton, a member of Company B, Third Regiment, N. G. P., of Philadelphia, who was run down by a train at Sodom about 8:40 o'clock this morning. Fulton was one of 32 Philadelphia guardsmen sent here to guard railroad property. While he was not wounded in battle he was just as much in his country's service.

Fulton's gun, strapped over his shoulders, was caught by a projection on passenger train No 42 and he was thrown beneath the wheels of the train.

He suffered a fractured skull and his left foot was cut off. He was brought in on the passenger train and rushed to the Cottage State hospital. At noon he had not recovered consciousness and his condition was announced as critical.

The guardsman had stepped between the tracks to allow the freight train to pass. His gun was strapped over his shoulders in order that he could place his hands in his overcoat pockets. While standing with his back to the eastbound track, train No. 42 passed. The muzzle of the gun, sticking out over the track, was caught by the passing train and he was whirled about, the force of the blow throwing him beneath the wheels.

Members of the company say that Fulton lives in Philadelphia and that he is single. His age is not known. An effort to secure more information concerning him will be made at Greensburg. Word was sent to the captain of the company, located at Greensburg, and he arrived on the 10.49 Pennsylvania train.

BOYS MUST BE GOOD

Fairchance Lad, Accused of Robbery, Told to Go to Sunday School.

Special to The Courier

UNIONTOWN, April 10.—Charles Morgan, 11 years old, and William Lonsinger, 10 years old, of Fairchance, in juvenile court today were sentenced by Judge E. H. Reppert to attend Sunday school. The boys, both of whose fathers are dead, were the defendants in a robbery case. They admitted their guilt.

Judge Reppert handed down an order, directing that the preliminary injunction in the case of Mrs. Isabella M. Long against the West Penn Interurban Railway company be dissolved. A bond to secure Mrs. Long for proposed extensions of the West Penn lines over her property in Dunbar township was approved.

Record Unfilled Steel Tonnage.

NEW YORK, April 10 —The unfilled tonnage of the United States Steel Corporation on March 31 was 11,711,514 tons, an increase of 134,000 over the previous month, breaking all previous records. The February figure was 11,576,697 tons, which was the previous high record.

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and Wednesday; slowly rising temperatures, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1917	1916
Maximum	43	46
Minimum	38	32
Mean	40	39

The Yough river fell from 120 to 110 feet during the night

OLD GLORY TO FLY FROM A TALL POLE ON CITY HALL LAWN

Council to Erect Mast Donated By Local Manufacturing Establishments.

WANT SEVERAL EMBLEMS

Councilman John Duggan Thinks Merchants Should Give Several So That New One Will Always Be Available; Other Business of the Meeting.

Connellsville is to have a municipal flag pole on the city hall lawn within a short time, if plans made at last night's council meeting carry. The pole is to be one of iron pipe, 80 feet tall, and is to be donated to the city by various firms and individuals.

Councilman John Duggan suggested the erection of the flag pole, and said that it should be placed in a spot where it would be possible to put old cannon on each side of it later. An 80-foot pole will necessitate the sinking of a concrete foundation eight feet square, according to Councilman L. L. West.

Manufacturing firms of the city will each donate a portion of the pipe, and William Kelly of the Connellsville Iron Works will put the pipe together The finished pole will then be presented to the city. Mr. Duggan agreed that he would furnish the labor for building the foundation, provided the other hotel men would pay for the materials. Councilmen West and M. B. Pryce were appointed a committee to ask the merchants' association for a donation of flags. "Not one flag," Mr Duggan said, "for a flag whips out so quickly, but four or five." Just where the pole is to be placed was left undecided. Mr. Duggan wanted it in the southwest corner of the lawn. A. O. Bixler, city clerk said the cinders from the railroad would ruin the flag if flown there, and said it should be put at the Arch street end of the lawn. Others wanted it on the small grass plot in front of the city hall entrance.

When the pole has been erected, the councilmen plan to have a flag raising. They would like to have this

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HELD UP BY BANDITS

Scottdale Man Robbed on Road Near Ravenna, Ohio.

While driving an Overland automobile from the factory at Toledo, O., to Youngstown, O., on March 25, Paul Snead of Scottdale, was held up by four bandits who jumped out from behind a screen of underbrush, according to word received by friends in Scottdale.

Snead quickly turned his machine about and speeded to Ravenna, O., and notified Sheriff Jones, who with a posse, searched the hills for the hold-up men but they were not found. Snead was relieved of a considerable sum of money but was not harmed.

MORE SEEDS HERE.

Congressman Sterling's Consignment to be Distributed at Postoffice.

Congressman Bruce F. Sterling has sent about 2,000 packages of government seed to Postmaster W. D. McGinnis for local distribution.

These will be given out at the general delivery window of the post office to any who apply. "Come early and avoid the jam," is Postmaster McGinnis advice.

Cubs Are Patriotic.

CHICAGO, April 10.—When the Chicago National League team appears on the field at the opening of the season tomorrow each player will wear the American flag. The colors have been embroidered on the sleeves of their shirts.

To Locate at Akron.

Smith Buttermore and Edward Cover left this morning for Akron, O., where they will work in one of the rubber factories.

CITY WOMEN, READY TO DO THEIR PART DURING THE WAR, FORM A RED CROSS UNIT

Over 100 Members Enroll at Organization Meeting in Carnegie Free Library Hall; Dr. Katherine Wakefield, One of the Leaders in the Movement, Chosen Chairman, Mrs. F. W. Wrig't, Vice Chairman; Miss Sarah Seaton, Secretary, and Miss Ella Sauter, Treasurer.

THREE DIVISIONS WILL BE ORGANIZED HERE

Through the efforts of Dr. Katherine Wakefield and Miss Margaret Whitman, a Red Cross unit was organized in Connellsville at a special meeting held in the Carnegie Free Library last evening, with an annual membership of over 100. Patriotic women of the city turned out in large numbers and without hesitancy offered their services to their country in case they were needed.

The meeting, which was an enthusiastic one, was presided over by Dr. Katherine Wakefield. It was called to order shortly after 7:30 o'clock and was opened with a patriotic prayer offered by Rev. C. C. Buckner, pastor of the Christian Church. This was followed by "America," sung by the audience, with Miss Pearl Keck at the piano. Dr Wakefield then told the audience what the Red Cross stood for and of what the work consisted The Red Cross was organized in America by Miss Clara Barton in 1881, who was also its first president. It will not be known what part the Connellsville organization will play in connection with the National Red Cross until papers of instruction have been received from Washington by Dr. Wakefield.

Three divisions will be formed in Connellsville, dietetics, first aid and hygiene, and at a meeting to be held next Monday night at the library members will decide upon what division they will receive instructions in.

Miss Margaret Whiteman, Miss Jennie Weaver and Mrs. R. S. McKee, a nominating committee appointed by Dr. Katherine Wakefield, named the following officers: Chairman, Dr. Katherine Wakefield; vice chairman, Mrs. F. W. Wright; secretary, Miss Sarah Seaton; treasurer, Miss Ella Sauter. The candidates were unanimously elected.

The following enrolled as members of the organization: Miss Anne J. Reynolds, Mrs. Lyde Percy, Mrs. J. B. Marietta, Miss Pearl Keck, Mrs. A. W. Bowman, Mrs. W. R. Clasper, Miss Sue Rush, Miss Elsie Weihe, Miss Ruth Davidson, Miss Grace Adams, Miss Ida Stillwagon, Miss Beulah Gilmore, Mrs. R. S. McKee, Mrs. Edna Johnston Brendel, Miss Charlotte Artzman, Mrs. J. Artzman, Mrs Howard Smith, Miss Della Hoop Miss Harriet Covet Mrs. J. Raymond Mestrezat, Mrs. C. P. Trader, Mrs Margaret P. Laughrey, Mrs H. J Coll, Mrs. J J. Thompson, Miss Harriet Clark, Miss Eleanor Clark, Mrs. T. R Francis, Miss Rebecca Sauter, Miss Irene Crawford, Miss Mabel Stillwagon, Mrs. G. W. Gallagher, Miss Sarah Gallaghet, Mrs G. E. Hart, Miss Edith McKee, Miss Sarah D Adams, Miss Edna Engle Miss Ruth D. Miller, Miss Lillian Hicks, Miss Susan Hicks, Mrs. Josephine Reid, Miss Mary Parkhill, Miss Beatrice Patterson, Miss Florence Patterson, Miss Mary Burkholder, Miss Elsie Burkholder, Miss Mary F. Marsh, Miss Mary E. Enos, Miss Mayme Murphy, Miss Mary Correal, Miss Anna Falcone, Miss Marie E. Young, Mrs. W. O. Foley, Miss Catherine N Foley, Mrs. Harriet P Carson, Miss Eunice Driscoll, Mrs C. A. Wagner, Mrs J. L Snyder, Mrs J. C Wood, Mrs. P. T. Kamerer, Mrs R. W Leiberger; Miss Addie Leiberger, Mrs. Katherine Last, Mrs. H. F Atkinson, Miss Mary C Feen, Miss Adelaide Bland, Miss Edna Bengal Miss Lynne B Kincell, Miss K. E Darby, Miss Ruby C. Dull, Miss Katharine Frisbee, Mrs W. O. Schoonover, Mrs. J B Hogg, Mrs. A. B Morton. Miss Lillian Weihe, Miss Sally McEwan, Miss Helen J Humphrey, Mrs. G. W Scott, Mrs. J L. Gans, Miss LaVerne Delin, Miss Clara Herwick, Miss Laura M. Roake, Miss Sarah Moreland, Miss Adah Musser, Miss Jane Weaver, Miss Daise Trump, Miss Naomi Rosenbloom, Mrs C C. Buckner, Miss Esther Towzey, Miss Alice Wiote, Miss Marion W. Shaw, Miss Sarah Belle Lunnen, Miss Lillian Edmonds, Mrs J E. Reed, Miss Elizabeth Pendleton, Miss Anne White, Miss Edith Dunn, Miss Mary McConnell, Mrs Joseph McConnell, Mrs. L P. McCormick, Mrs. J. Kirk Renner, Mrs Charles Davidson Mrs Warren L. Wright, Mrs. J. M. Young, Miss Lucy A Costa, Mrs J U Mason, Miss J. F Lawrence, Mrs. Elliot B Edie, Miss Katharine Mayo, Miss Ella Sauter, Miss Margaret Whiteman, Dr. Katherine Wakefield, Mrs F. W. Wright.

The first organization in Connellsville to offer aid to the city's Red Cross, was the Loyal Order of Moose. During the first week of May the lodge will hold a benefit entertainment and a representative of the order called at the home of Dr. Wakefield yesterday and offered to turn over the entire proceeds, which are expected to amount to from $300 to $500, in case the organization would accept it. The women voted to accept the donation and extended an unanimous vote of thanks to the Loyal Order of Moose.

On becoming an annual member of the Red Cross a fee of $1.00 per year is assessed In becoming an annual member one is not required to take up any special line of work unless she desires to do so, while any member has the privilege of taking up any one line or all three if she wishes. It is likely that first aid work will be popular among the members of the local organization.

FLAG RAISED ABOVE THE SLAG DUMP AT VANDERBILT.

A flag, purchased by subscriptions from the workmen, has been run up at the Pittsburg & Lake Erie slag dump near Vanderbilt. The slag dump is on a high elevation, overlooking Vanderbilt, North Dawson, and Dickerson Run, and the flag flying there is an inspiring sight.

The purse for its purchase was made up Saturday, and Oscar Donaldson, foreman, secured the banner. Patriotism runs high among the men.

AUSTRIAN CONSUL IS TO LEAVE UNIONTOWN

Louis Vaczek, consular agent for Austria-Hungary in this section of Western Pennsylvania, and having headquarters in Uniontown, had last night received no official notice of the break between his country and the United States. He said that he should likely be summoned home within a few days, and is making preparations for leaving his post.

SMITHFIELD YOUTH LEADS CADET CORPS NOW IN ARMY.

Mirfrid Guiher, son of Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Guiher of Smithfield, has been chosen as captain of the cadet corps of the University of West Virginia at Morgantown, which has been taken into the United States army. All the students, including young Guiher, took the federal service pledge.

The Smithfield youth spent several weeks last summer at the Plattsburg training camp.

FORMER MOUNT PLEASANT PASTOR JOINS RED CROSS

Rev. S. L Posthlewait, formerly pastor of the United Berthren Church of Mount Pleasant and until recently pastor of the United Berthren Church in Johnstown, has joined the Red Cross, during the continuance of the war.

150 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP RED CROSS AUXILIARY

More than 150 Perry township people have joined the Red Cross auxiliary of the Pittsburg chapter, organized in Perry township, in less than three days, it has been announced.

The young men have already taken up first aid work and the women will decide later upon the activities which they intend to pursue. The membership campaign has been highly successful. Star Junction has come to the front and leads in membership.

A temporary organization has been effected, the officers elected being as follows:

Chairman, J. Buell Snyder, Perryopolis.

Vice chairmen, Mrs. J. Alvin Byers, Perryopolis; Mrs. J. B. Knox, Star Junction; Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Layton; Mrs. Ira Blair, Perryopolis; Mrs. Mart Townsend, Perryopolis, Mrs. Emma Slocum, Perryopolis; Mrs. Mart Lwell, Star Junction, Mrs. Betty Luce, Perryopolis; Mrs J. R. Martin, Perryopolis.

Secretary—Miss Helen Marshall, Perryopolis.

Assistant secretary—Mrs. Howard Adams, Perryopolis.

Treasurer—Rev. J. L. Law, Perryopolis.

Recruiting secretaries appointed by the chairman—Miss Lena Galley, Perryopolis; Miss Lulu Willis, Banning; Miss Mary Carson, Layton; Miss Mary Duff, Perryopolis; Miss Ada Buttermore, Perryopolis, Miss Ella Mae Pullock, Star Junction, Miss Ruth Luce, Perryopolis.

LOTS OF CARS

Baltimore & Ohio Supply is Almost Normal Today.

Following the Easter holidays, the coal car supply on the Baltimore & Ohio is almost up to demand, and operators are getting nearly what they want today. The supply last week was not very strong but it caught up over Easter.

On Sunday and Monday very little work was done at the mines, and the cars were not in demand. The supply today is very nearly normal.

Shopmen's Wages Raised.

An increase in wages for employes at the Connellsville shops, Baltimore & Ohio railroad, effective April 1, has been announced. Men drawing over 30 cents an hour are increased two and a half cents an hour. Those earning under 30 cents an hour will get a twoscore raise.

PATRIOTIC RALLY AT MT. PLEASANT MONDAY, APRIL 16

Membership Committee of Red Cross Arranges Meeting and Secures Speakers.

PLAN COLLEGE RALLY, TOO

Meeting In Baptist Church Tonight to Report on Progress Made in Raising of $10,000 to Transform Institute Into Junior College: Other Notes.

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, April 10.—The membership committee of the Red Cross Chapter has arranged a grand patriotic rally for Monday night, April 16. Some prominent speakers are to be secured and other interesting features arranged.

The executive committee of the Red Cross has named the following to serve on committees with the chairmen: Quilts, C. L. Gordy with Stephen Arkwright; education, Mrs. William Hitchman with Dr. M. B. Horner; membership, Howard Braddock with N. A. Cort. Miss Irene Husband will name her member on the purchasing committee.

Swift-Walker.

Herbert Stuck and Margaret Swift, both of Mount Pleasant, were married by Justice of the Peace J. R. Walker. The young people will live here.

New Assistant Postmaster.

Clyde Yothers, the local postmaster, has named John W. Barclay as assistant postmaster.

John Taylor.

Funeral services were held at the Tarr church yesterday morning for John Taylor, aged 81 years, who died at his Ruffsdale home. Interment followed in the Tarr cemetery.

Case Settled.

On charge of surety of the peace made by Cora Harris, Mike Kobilish was arrested by Constable William Kennel and given a hearing before Justice of the Peace John R. Walker. The case was settled by the defendant paying the costs.

No Insults to Flag.

Local officers have found it necessary to remind some of the citizens of Mount Pleasant to put out flags. The people asked have quickly responded and the officers positively state that as yet no arrests have been made of any persons in town for insulting the flag, as was reported.

College Fund Rally.

A grand rally will be held in the Baptist Church this evening in the interest of Mount Pleasant Junior College fund. The alumni members will report and the clock will be moved up to amount subscribed.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, April 10.—C. W. Fowler of Uniontown being deputized, installed the officers of his own lodge here, Gallatin No. 517, I. O. O. F. Saturday night as follows: N. G., A. G. Blesser; V. G., W. E. Foye; O. G., George Hastings; I. G., Charles Wise; R. S., L. D. Ramsey; L. S., Edgar Sturgis; R. S. to N. G., J. G. Jones; L. S. to N. G., Charles Miller; R. S. to V. G., Harry Abraham; L. S. to V. G., I. F. Moore; conductor, Abe Wilhelm; Warden, C. B. Jackson; chaplain, W. P. Dils; third member relief committee, Abraham Wilhelm.

P. A. Rankin had a home coming of his children Sunday on account of his son Karl's return on a vacation from Akron, O., Saturday. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pringle of Fairchance; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson of Orient; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jones of Smithfield; Miss Alice Rankin at home.

Archy West of Pittsburg, visited his home here over Sunday.

Harry Morgan of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan.

The special services for Easter at the Methodist Episcopal Church were well attended. The special music by the choir was appropriate and well rendered. Rev. Ralph Tell delivered two forceful sermons.

Mrs. Frank Stuck and son of Rockwood, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Morford Guther, a student in the West Virginia University at Morgantown, spent the week end vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Guther.

J. J. Sutton and G. W. Campbell were Uniontown business visitors Saturday.



One Dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy Drives Them Out—Ends Torture.

Stomach poisons breed millions of germs that eat into your vitals, causing Gas Pressure Indigestion, Constipation, Torpid Liver, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Gall Stones, Appendicitis, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, etc., etc. Thousands of sufferers have been restored by Mayr's Wonderful Remedy among them Justice of the Supreme Court, Congressmen, Doctors, Lawyers, Bankers, Ministers, Nurses, Farmers, Merchants—persons of every class—probably your own neighbors. Stomach troubles are due mostly to intestinal poison. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy removes that poison, thoroughly cleanses the system, drives out the disease breeding germs, allays inflammation and ends suffering. Unlike any other remedy. No alcohol—nothing to injure you. One dose convinces. Free book on Stomach Ailments. Write Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg Chemist, Chicago, or obtain a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy from A. A. Clarke or any reliable druggist, who will refund your money if it fails—Adv.

A LUMP OF COAL STRUCK HIS HEAD

Nervousness Followed But Nerv-Worth Banished This and Other Ills.

This is that endorsement given by W. L. Mickey which has filled so many sufferers with faith in New-Work. Mr. Mickey has been with the Western Maryland for 30 years, for the past 3 years as turntable operator at Maryland Junction shops, near Cumberland, M. D.:

"I met with an accident some time ago. Was hit on the head with a lump of coal, which put me out of commission for a while.

"I was very nervous and could not get my rest at night. My appetite was poor and my strength was fast falling me. In the morning I was tired and did not feel able to attend to my duties.

"Thought I'd try the modern nerve tonic, Nerv-Worth, and I have taken about half bottle of the medicine and I'm improving a lot.

"In the morning I feel like going to work. I rest all night. My appetite is good. And take it all around I am much improved in health. I can recommend Nerv-Worth. I can see a big change. My nerves are steady now.

"W. L. MICKEY,
"Ridgely, W. Va."

Your dollar back at the Connellsville Drug Co.'s Store if Nerv-Worth does not benefit you. Ask Demonstrator Geis for a sample dose.—Adv.

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, April 10.—Mr. and Mrs. William Beatty and children of Connellsville, spent over Sunday with friends here.

Hiram Connor and Haskell Hoover spent over Sunday among Connellsville friends.

J. L. Williams of Connellsville, spent over Sunday with relatives near Mill Run.

Elmer Smith spent over Sunday with relatives near Scottdale.

Thomas Steele of Davistown, spent over Sunday among Morgantown relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Woodmancy and son Russell spent over Sunday among Bear Run friends.

William Reckard of Sand Patch, was a business caller here Saturday.

Miss Geneva Cole of Leisenring, is spending a few days here among friends.

H. B. Brown was calling on friends at Confluence yesterday.

William Stickel of Connellsville, spent over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. Stickel at Mill Run.

A. W. Nicholson of Dickerson Run, spent over Sunday with his family at Mill Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kennel of Scottdale, spent over Sunday among Mount Nebo friends.

Mrs. F. S. Wortman and daughter of Mill Run, were calling on Connellsville friends and shopping yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Herrington of Broad Ford, spent over Sunday with Mrs. Herrington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fulkoin.

GREATEST CATARRH DOCTOR IN WORLD

Here Today, In Connellsville.

When a sufferer from Catarrh begins to breathe the pure wholesome healing air of Hyomei into the sore, inflamed membranes and tissues of his nose and throat, he usually decides then and there that he and Catarrh are going to part company forever.

It's surprising how quickly Hyomei does work. Blessed relief comes in less than five minutes.

The clogged nostrils open, the nasty mucus discharges, spitting, choking, etc., all stop and the head, nose and throat clear out like magic.

Hyomei does more. It kills the germs which breed catarrh and ends the disease. Safe, clean, pleasant and harmless to use and very inexpensive. A. A. Clarke and other leading druggists say "money back" if in any case it fails. Better than stomach dosing, spraying, gargling etc. and beats greasy ointments two to one. No wonder happy users call it the "greatest catarrh doctor in the world."—Adv.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, April 10.—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Morgan of Mount Pleasant, and William Moran of Scottdale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Beatty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan of McKeesport, are spending a few days here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Christ.

A. W. Nicholson spent Sunday with his family at Mill Run.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bowden have returned to their home at Wilson, after a very pleasant visit with Dawson friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beatty spent yesterday visiting relatives and friends in Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton were calling on friends at Dunbar yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carlson were the guests of Connellsville friends over Sunday.

MERCHANTS SAY

They Prefer to Be Paid By Check.

Five hundred Pittsburg merchants, who were interviewed last week, say they would much rather have their regular customers settle their accounts with checks than with cash, because paying by check is much safer both for them and their patrons. There is always danger in having large amounts of currency on the person, in a store or at home. Why take the risk when the old reliable First National invites your checking account no matter how small?—Adv.

Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, April 10.—Mr. and Mrs. William Fetters and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fetters, have returned to Rockwood from Florida where they spent several weeks recently for their health.

George Holtzhour, who was removed to the West Penn hospital the early part of last week suffering from appolexy, died Friday morning and was brought to Rockwood the same evening. The funeral was held at Meyersdale Monday morning.

Russell Witt of Akron, O., spent several days this week in Rockwood, and while here sold his residence on Broadway to A. J. Crowell.

Arthur Troup has moved his family from Somerset to Rockwood.

John G. Miller, who has taken charge of the Buckman house, has moved his family from the Evans property to the hotel.

Mrs. R. E. Bittner and Mrs. W. H. Johnston spent the first of the week in Connellsville where they were at the bedside of the former's daughter, Mrs. Hanson, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Andy Hay, aged 87 years, fell one day the past week and fractured the bone of her right hip.

MI-O-NA QUICKLY ENDS INDIGESTION

Do not continue to suffer with heartburn, dizziness, after dinner distress, headache, biliousness, pain in the bowels or sour and gassy stomach. Get relief at once—buy today—a 50c box of Mi-o-na Tablets. They quickly and surely end indigestion and stomach distress—or money refunded. A. A. Clarke can supply you.—Adv.

Hunting Bargains?

If so, it will pay you to read our advertising columns.

SUFFERED 15 YEARS, CURED IN 21 DAYS

Astounding Cures Made by This Remarkable New Discovery.

Gentlemen: For over fifteen years I was afflicted with eczema, covering my arms, legs and face. I suffered so much distress that I could not sleep. My face was red and swollen, and covered with dry, feverish scales. I was unable to attend to business for weeks at a time.

I had about given up all hope when I tried your remedy, Amolox. The first application gave me relief so I could sleep. After applying it for several days I was able to attend to business. After 21 days' treatment my eczema entirely disappeared.

JAMES R. RIGBY,
529 North Avenue,
Youngstown, O.

Amolox Ointment alone will quickly banish pimples, blackheads and take out all redness of the skin, and cure most forms of skin diseases. But, chronic cases of Eczema, Psoriasis, Tetter, that have lasted for years, yield more quickly when both ointment and liquid are used.

Amolox is the prescription of a physician who used it with wonderful success in his private practice. Now, for the first time, offered for sale by the leading druggists at a moderate cost.

Send postal for free sample to Amolox Laboratories, Youngstown, Ohio.

Try Amolox today. Trial size 50c. If it fails to do what is claimed or if money will be cheerfully paid back by

Connellsville Drug Co

Want Ads—1 Cent a Word.

Doctors Fail

"Terrible case of Eczema—contracted when a mere boy—fought disease for ten years, with half dozen specialists. Both legs in terrible condition. Almost a nervous wreck. It took just 3 bottles to clear up this disease."

This is the late testimony of a prominent newspaper man. His name and his remarkable story in full on request. We have seen so many other cures with this marvelous liquid wash that we freely offer you a bottle on our personal guarantee. Try it today. 25c, 50c and $1.00.

D. D. D.

for Skin Disease

J. C. Moore, Druggist

THE E. DUNN STORE

The Home of Quality and Service
109 to 133 N. Pittsburg St. Connellsville, Pa.

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Apparelling Stocks Have Been Replenished by Late Arrivals Over Easter

Here You will find New Things for this Week's Selling

A Suit, Coat or Dress

It may be one or all. In either case, you owe it to yourself to visit this fine showing of things that are new.

Fashion's newest fads are reproduced in these charming models. In the suits and coats you'll find little touches of style not seen in the early garments; and the dresses are such to captivate the heart of anyone who is a lover of things beautiful.

Replenishing our depleted Easter stocks brings to Women of Connellsville the last-word in Spring and Summer apparel.

The Suits are priced $15 to $45.

New Spring Coats at $10 to $50.

The New Dresses at $10 to $55.

A Wonderful Display of New Spring



H-A-T-S

$4.95 to $10.00

Your Model is Among Them

For true-value, style-possessing Hats, there are no others to equal them—true copies of high-priced New York and Paris models.

The Finest Materials

And workmanship have been put into these hats, and at $4.95 they set a new ere for value-giving even for DUNN'S, the acknowledged millinery leaders of Connellsville. Included are hats of imported lisere, the shiny finished straw—Milan hemp of finest quality, genuine Milan and real hair braid. Trimmed with burnt goose feathers, burnt ostrich, peacock, flowers, fruit, jet ornaments and ribbons.



Durable fabrics that wear well at any window

You have only to see and *feel* the close-woven fabrics, the pliable, full-bodied materials to appreciate the durability woven into every square inch—and to know just how well they'll wear even at the windows in the kiddies' play-room.

COLUMBIAS have these exclusive features, too: dust-proof, rust-proof ENCLOSED roller-ends; tarnish-proof electro-plated fixtures and the convenient READY-TO-HANG package. We have Columbia shades to match every purse and purpose. May we show them to you?

Special Prices for Home Craft Week"

36 in. Window Shades, 39c
Color, dark green; length 6 ft.; good quality water-color shading.

36 in. Window Shades, 59c.
Colors, dark and light green; length 6 ft; good quality oil shading

Home Craft Week



A week devoted to the showing of all that is new in home furnishings for decorative purposes—both materials and their uses. Week of April 9th to 14th.

Our drapery department is in gala dress for the occasion. You will find many ideas, some of which may exactly solve a puzzling decorative problem for you.

Lace Curtains in an endless variety of patterns, quality and price range. Cable-Net, Nottingham, Filet and Spider Web Lace Curtains. Priced at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $2.75, $3.00 up to $6.00.

Quaker-Craft Lace, at a panel, 40c and 50c.

Scrim, Marquisette and Madras Curtains—the biggest and most comprehensive stock that has ever graced our shelves. Prices begin at $1.00 in easy stages to $5.

Scrim and Marquisette Curtains with set-in motifs.

Scrim and Marquisette Curtains with cluny lace trim.

Scrim and Marquisette Curtains with neat lace edgings.

Scrim and Marquisette Curtains with drawn-work corners.

Madras Curtains in plain and color effects, from ..... $1.50 to $5.00

SCRIMS, MARQUISETTE, MADRAS, REPP AND CRETONNES.

Curtain Scrim at 10c, 12½c to 35c Yard.

White, cream and beige scrim in plain, madras stripe and hemstitch borders, 36 to 40 inches wide.

Marquisette at 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c Yard

White, cream and beige—plain and madras stripe and dropstitch borders—36 and 40 inches wide.

Scotch Madras Over-Drapery, 33c Yard

In black and green, black and blue, black and rose. A good quality material, 30 inches wide.

Scotch Madras Over-Drapery, 40c Yard

In black and green, black and blue, black and light green—36 inches wide.

Scotch Madras Over-Drapery, 65c Yard

In brown and light blue, light blue and light brown, brown and green, two-tone brown and green, old rose and green and others—36 to 40 inches wide.

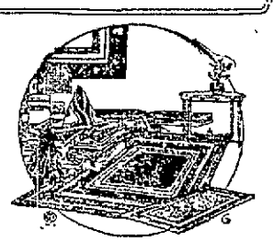
50 inch OverDrapery in many plain colors, at 75c.

50 inch Scotch Madras Over-Drapery in two-tone colors, at $1.00 yard.

50 inch Heavy Repp or Poplin for Over-Drapes, in all good plain colors, 75c the yard.

Cretonnes at 15c, 20c, 25c, to 50c.

Silkaline, at 12c, 17c, 25c.



OTHER HOME FURNISHINGS

9x12 Axminster Rugs, all-over designs, in many colors, at $30.00.

9x12 Wilton Rugs, seamless—small all-over designs, in many shades of brown and red—at $39.

9x12 Axminster Rugs—slate color ground with brown figures and borders—at $42.00.

9x12 Blue Oriental designs—small Rugs to match 9x12 size, $35.00; small Rugs at $5.00.

3x6 ft. Rugs in old rose—browns and blues—very specially priced at $3.00 and $5.00.

9x12 Blue Brussels Rugs, seamless. An excellent Rug at the price—$30.00.

Bozart Rugs, in sizes 8-3x10-6, 6x9, 4-6x7, at very modest prices.

SPECIAL—9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, seamless—suitable for dining room or parlor, at $18.00.

9x12 Inch Rubber Stair Treads, 3-8 inch corrugated rubber. Special, 11c each.

27x54 inch Tapestry Rugs, in many patterns. Priced at $2.00.

$1.25 Tapestry Carpets, of small all-over designs in green and brown; sewed free—at 90c yard.

When in need of Carpet by the yard look over our cut-order samples—$1.25 to $2.50 yard.

Printed Linoleums in many patterns, for kitchen, bathroom, dining room, etc., at $1.30 and $1.40 the running yard.

Round Curtain Rods in brass, 28 inches long, extends to 51 inches Special at..... 10c

5/4 White and Tile Oilcloth, 25c.

6/4 White Oilcloth a yard, 30c.

"THE STORE AHEAD"

FRIDAY SPECIAL

$1.00, $1.50, $2.00

Framed Pictures

69c

Leonard Furniture Co.

SEE THEM IN OUR WINDOW

Style! Style!

Mrs. Mary Dubois, Refined Dressmaking

SUITS, DRESSES, WAISTS AND COATS.
LOW PRICES.
210-211 Title & Trust Building, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

CONTINUOUS SERVICE PLUMBING HEATING TINNING SINCE 1885

F. T. EVANS BOTH PHONES

Patronize Those Who Advertise.

READ THE COURIER

Want Ads—1 Cent a Word.



BOTH PHONES
OPPMAN'S TRANSFER
OPPOSITE POST OFFICE
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

ELKS ARE HOSTS TO VETERANS ON APPOMATTOX DAY

Scottdale Lodge Entertains G. A. R. On Anniversary of Lee's Surrender.

GUESTS GET FINE FLAGS

Each Veteran Present Is Given a 12x14 Silk Emblem; Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen of Uniontown Makes Patriotic Speech; Notes.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, April 10.—One of the biggest and most successful Appomattox Day celebrations ever held in this section was that last night when about 20 members of the Grand Army of the Republic were entertained by the Scottdale Lodge, No. 777, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks. The old soldiers were shown just how much the new generation honors them for what they did in '61.

The veterans gathered in a reception room at the Elks' home, which was decorated throughout with American flags. In the reception room, a table was covered with a large silk flag, and about it bayonetted rifles, which were used by some of the old soldiers, stood stacked. An orchestra played patriotic selections. Just before the dinner was served the veterans were lined up with members of the Elk lodge and a flashlight picture was taken. The vets, who had been under fire "had it on" their hosts when the photographer pressed the button. An extra heavy charge caused a large flame and much smoke. The soldiers faced the "charge" as they did in the Wilderness, but the younger men all gave an involuntary jump.

When the veterans were seated at the tables, they found that each had an Elk by his side, to entertain him as he ate. After the dinner was finished, secretary of the lodge, James Keegan spoke, highly praising the veterans. At the end of his speech, each Elk presented the veteran on his left with a 12x14 inch silk American flag.

Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen of Uniontown was the principal speaker of the evening. He lauded the old soldiers, and then spoke on the principal topic of conversation today, the entry of the United States into the world war. He said in part: "Of all the great wars the United States has ever engaged in, the one great principle for which the people fought is the principle of liberty and justice to the individual man. The United States is now entering the war to uphold the liberty of every man, woman and child on the globe.

"War might be what one man said it was, 'hell,' but it is a physical demonstration of the clash of ideals between men. It was the same in the Revolution, in 1861, and in the present war. In the early days our forefathers developed a system of thought contrary to the law of the mother country. The environment of that new country established this manner of thought, and this brought on the Revolution. This war resulted in the most remarkable document ever penned by a human hand, the Declaration of Independence.

"Coming to later days there was another clash of ideas. The South said, 'We are going to have our slaves' and the North said 'no.' The South left the North and there was the clash of ideas. It took four years to settle definitely whether the Union would remain one.

"It is the same today, one thought, one principle, one desire. The United States, by a Declaration of War, has joined the side that says 'no.' It is a question of Democracy against Aristocracy. A question of whether there shall be liberty and justice to the individual man or not.

"Some of you men may have had your own views on whether the United States should enter the war or not, but now that it is done, the only thing that a loyal man can do is to stand by the government. Follow the lead of the President and the whole country, and see that our flag is not trailed in the dust in a foreign land. The United States is now in the war for the establishment throughout the world of liberty and justice to the individual man."

Judge Swearingen's speech brought rounds of applause from the veterans and Elks present, and fanned the flame of patriotism burning within each American at this time.

Commander J. C. Sterrett spoke a few words, and Comrade Harvey Luker told of the surrender of Lee at the court house at Appomattox. Comrade B. F. May gave a short talk.

Fred Alcorn sang "The Star Spangled Banner," and the veterans and their hosts sang "America." The veterans were taken home in automobiles. Many of them wore their old uniforms.

Civic Club Meets.

The Civic club held its annual meeting in the study hall at the high school building last evening. Mrs. Katherine Clery reported that the art pictures to be presented to the school were here and framed ready for presentation. Mrs. Clery was appointed a committee to arrange for the meeting and some prominent speaker will be secured. This meeting will be public.

Mrs. Fred Brown and Mrs. F. O. Keister were named a committee to visit the Scottdale theatre and the Arcade and arrange for children's matinees to be shown in an effort to introduce better films.

The secretary reported 177 members for the year. Mrs. W. H. Clingerman, the treasurer, gave the report for the year and this was accepted. Miss Emma Gibson reported that she did not think the proper interest was being taken in the garden contest. She said that to enter the contest did not mean that you had never kept your back yard clean or that you had never made garden. The high school children are making posters and will put them over town. Mrs. Albert Keister, president, and Mrs. W. H. Clingerman, treasurer, remain in office for another year. Mrs. O. L. Hess, Mrs. C. Lee Mellinger and Mrs. J. Alden Marsh were chosen tellers, and Mrs. James R. Campbell, representing the nominating committee, reported and the following officers were elected: Miss Irene Loucks secretary; Mrs. Ben Miller, first vice president; Mrs. J. M. Wooley, second vice president; Mrs. J. P. Strickler, third vice president.

Miss Cox Hostess.

Miss Mary Lou Cox entertained 12 of her friends at her home on Saturday afternoon with fancy work. Refreshments were served.

Stork Brings Son.

Word has been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Swartzendruber of Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Swartzendruber was formerly Miss Verna Gallentine.

For Sale.

Five room house, lot 50x250 feet, known as Lawrence Pruey property, Owensdale, Pa., for $500.

Six room house, 3 acres land adjoining borough, for $1,700.

Six room house like new, lot 40x120 feet, for $1,400. E. F. DeWitt. —Adv.—10-4t.

Machines Collide.

On Sunday when E. A. Byrne was driving into Mount Pleasant with his new Mercer car he collided with a Saxon car that belonged to a Greensburg man. The Saxon was considerably damaged and it was necessary to run the Byrne car into the garage to straighten the fender and repair a cut tire.

Son at McCloy Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCloy are the proud parents of a son born on Saturday morning at their home here. Mrs. McCloy was formerly Miss Edith Ritchie. The boy has been named Jack Ritchie McCloy.

For Sale.

5 room house, 4 acres land, West Pittsburg street, for $2,800.00.

8 room house, 4¼ acres land, 1 cow, 3 pigs, best water; West Pittsburg street, for $3,300.00. E. F. DeWitt. —Adv.—10-3t.

Notes.

Mrs. G. W. Lowry of Glade, Somerset county, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Pyle.

Mrs. Harry Rice went to Corapolis to visit friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albright spent Sunday in Wilkinsburg.

Clayton Uber and Stanton Pyle went to Greensburg where they got the latter's new six cylinder car.

Want advertisements 1 cent a word.

Guarantee

the Word—Its Meaning—and Application

Nearly every schoolboy knows the definition of the word "guarantee," but it is not always used as Webster defines it.

It is a frequently used business word, spoken by most salesmen with an utter disregard to its meaning.

There is a great deal of good substantial furniture sold in this city—furniture that any dealer can guarantee, knowing that if in some cases it isn't perfect the manufacturer will gladly replace it.

But there is also much furniture that is poorly made—cheap work—insecurely put together—that is sold by some stores under a guarantee that cannot afford to do so if they ever expect to live up to the full meaning of the word.

It is very important that you know which store sells this poorly constructed furniture, for it is not worth buying at any price, and once bought, there is no recourse for the purchaser. A sale ends it for that sort of store.

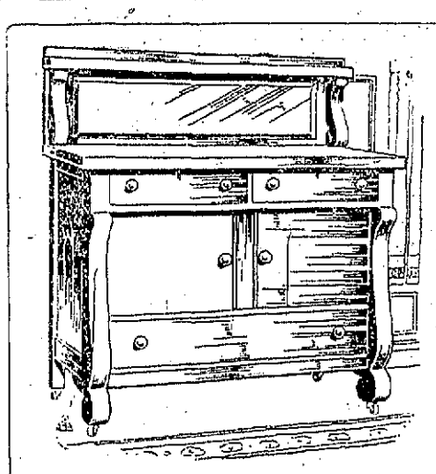
But that is not the case here. For many years we have been guaranteeing every piece of merchandise that entered our store.

That we have been living up to the full meaning of the word is attested by the fact that it is no unusual occurrence for us to furnish homes for people who come into this store upon the recommendation of our pleased customers.

Handling nothing but standard goods, we can well afford to guarantee an article and stand by that guarantee even to refunding your money.

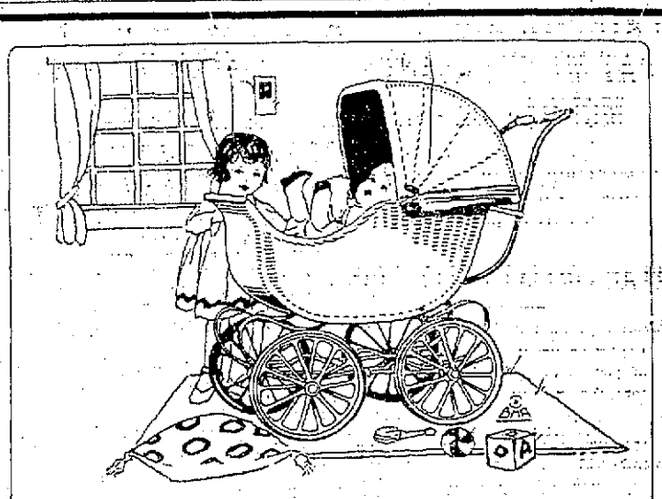
The credit we extend to our customers is also a strong guarantee, for we could not possibly afford to extend this credit if the furniture were not worthy.

AARON'S



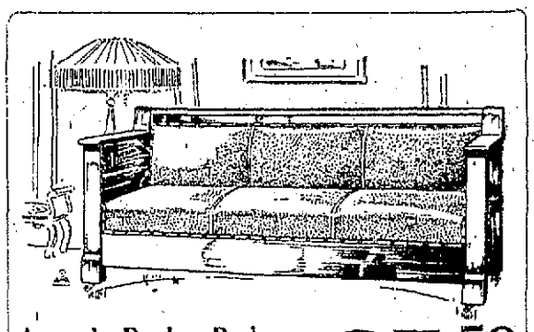
New Pattern Genuine Quarter Sawed Oak Buffet, Dust Proof Construction **29.50**

Other Buffets as low as $15.75



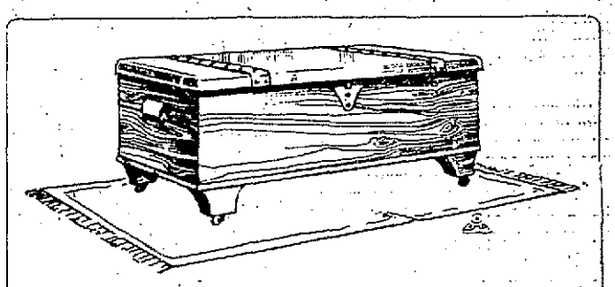
Reed Body Runabouts for..... **15.75**

Always look well. They are carefully made of best quality fiber. This is a well constructed carriage you will be proud of.



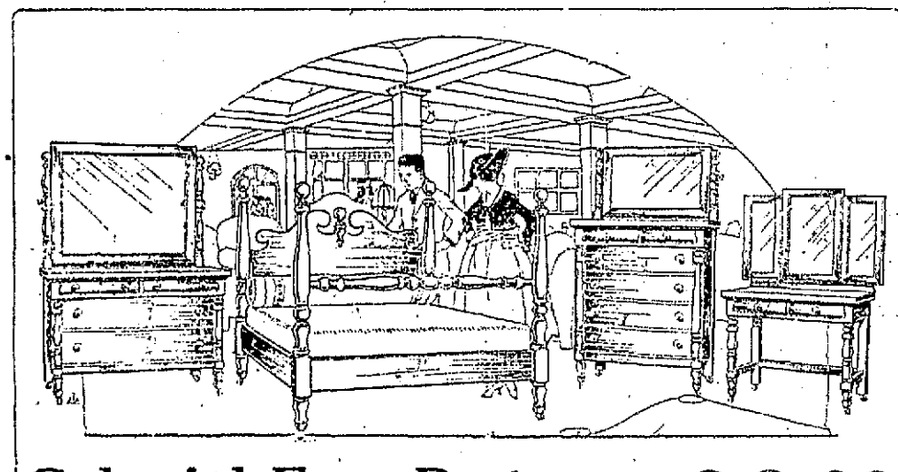
Aaron's Parlor Bed Davenport, Special Value **27.50**

Made of Solid Oak, beautifully upholstered in Morocco-line Leather with separate Mattress and Springs for bed section, and every quality which makes it possible for us to fully guarantee the Davenport in every way.



Genuine Red Tennessee Cedar Chests..... **12.00**

It is expensive to do without a cedar chest. The havoc wrought by moths in one single summer is apt to cost you more than this cedar chest will cost you once for always. And isn't it a beauty with its brass trimmings?



Colonial Four-Poster Bedroom Suite Dressing Table Extra **98.00**

Doesn't It Remind You of the Quaint Olden Times?

This four-poster bed? So charming in its massiveness—doesn't it bring to mind the old prints you've seen, of Colonial homes? And all three of the other pieces harmonize perfectly with the bed finely finished walnut, massive, neatly turned legs, and great mirrors of bevel-edge glass. This is one of the finest Colonial reproductions we've seen in a long time!

And Here Is Quality, Too!

See how nicely proportioned each piece is, and how dignified of design. You should see it on our floors, so that you may carefully inspect the materials and the workmanship. For we do not expect you to realize, only by the illustration above, what a fine value this suite represents. Come see it early tomorrow, if you decide to purchase it, you will have it by night!

No Other Store Has This Suite

For no other Connellsville store would or could sell it so low-priced! Our buying power, gained by affiliation with over 100 of the greatest furniture houses in the country, enables us to offer such furniture as this, on low credit terms and at low prices. This suite is but one instance of the many savings to be had at Aaron's great furniture house. For any room, we'll save you money!

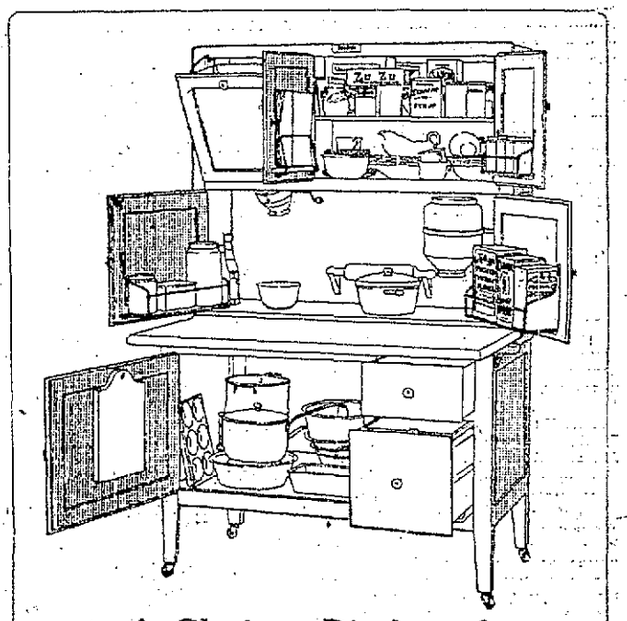


Imagine the Comfort You'll Get For But **10.00**

A restful rocker is this, of natural fiber, with a cretonne cushion. Light in weight, it is easily carried about. Beautifully finished, it is a rare good value.

All the Luxury of the best box spring at ½ the cost





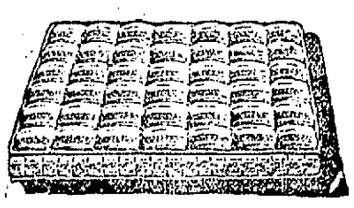
A Glorious Display of Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets

Fully equipped with every convenient feature to give new delight to the housekeeper who loves orderliness. There are features on this cabinet that you should know about before you do another hour's work in your kitchen.

Do you know that every hour spent in your kitchen now could be cut down to thirty minutes if you had a HOOSIER?

The intelligent use of one of these cabinets makes it the greatest boon that housekeepers have ever known. The model described and here costs only **20.35**

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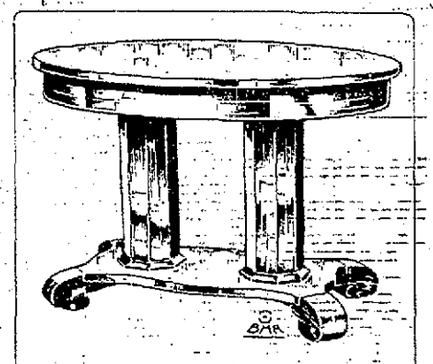
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TUESDAY EVENING, APR. 10, 1917.

LOYAL GERMANS.

To those who have long known the residents of Connellsville and vicinity who are of German birth or descent, it was no surprise to hear of them gathering at the Liederkranz hall on Sunday and showing their allegiance to their adopted country by flying the Stars and Stripes to the breeze.

By their substantial contributions to the industry and progress of the community these sturdy, useful and worthy citizens have won a large place in the hearts of all our people, and it has never been doubted that when the time came for them to "choose this day whom ye will serve" their loyalty would fail to stand the test.

During the early progress of the European war, and up until the moment when a state of war between Germany and the United States was declared by Congress to exist, all Americans of German descent had the right to entertain a feeling of sympathy for their Fatherland in its struggle against the entente allies. They also had the right to give expressions of their opinion, within reasonable and proper limits. In the exercise of this right, which was also accorded those who were bound by ties of kinship and affection to the countries with which Germany was at war, many Americans of German descent no doubt gave utterance to sentiments which, if repeated now, would be regarded as extremely disloyal to the United States.

But with the change in the relationship between Germany and the United States, from a state of peace to a state of war, which has also had the effect of changing the attitude of a very large part of the German-born population, from sympathy with Germany to renewed allegiance to the United States, it becomes unfair to these estimable citizens to question the sincerity of their actions or motives in avowing their fealty at this time. They fully realize that now we must be Americans or accounted as being against America. Having chosen this land as their home, and enjoyed its privileges, benefits and liberties, the appeal to duty has for most of them proven stronger than the bonds of sentiment and they have declared with ex-Mayor Blankenburg, their respected leader, that, "This is our home, the country of our choice; to its honor and defense we pledge our all."

It will be most inconsiderate and ungracious in our own people if they do not unhesitatingly accept the avowals by these citizens of their Americanism in the spirit with which it has been made. Forgetting entirely how earnestly some of them espoused the cause of Germany before that country became our enemy in war, we should give them credit for having had the courage of their convictions before the breach and even greater credit for now having the loyalty to declare:

"We are not German-Americans, but Americans of German descent, and as such we shall live and, if need be, die!"

AUSTRIA'S BREAK.

The only surprise occasioned by Austria's severance of diplomatic relations with the United States is that it was so long delayed. That it did not immediately follow similar action taken by the United States with respect to Germany, is evidence that the new emperor of Austria-Hungary did not yield to the demands of his ally as readily as was expected. Emperor Charles has given several unmistakable proofs of his desire for peace and has at all times been loth to break with the United States as the one country in the world which could have assisted materially in affecting a peace settlement had negotiations at any time been entered upon in good faith by both parties to the struggle.

It is now plain that Austria-Hungary has at last been obliged to accede to the demands of Germany; in fact, there was no alternative under the terms of the compact between these two powers. The action of Austria-Hungary clears the situation somewhat as America now better knows how to shape its own policy.

LARGER STATE CONSTABULARY.

That the Legislature has finally passed the bill authorizing an increase in the strength of the State Constabulary is creditable alike to that body and the influences which brought about its passage.

When the bill was brought up for action last night it developed that the opposition of organized labor of the state had to a very large extent been transformed into a sentiment favoring its enactment. Officials of the United Mine Workers made requests of a number of legislators that they support the measure which had the effect of causing the attitude of a considerable number of members. This is but further proof that the efficiency of this useful protective agency is being more generally admitted, especially in quarters where there has been a decided prejudice against the force from the time of its organization.

With an increased membership this body of men will be able to cover a larger territory in the interests of the maintenance of law and order and its value to the isolated communities of the state in particular will be enhanced accordingly.

APPOMATTOX DAY.

In all the 52 years that have intervened since the surrender of General Lee and the Confederate army at Appomattox Court House there has probably been no anniversary of that occasion when those who participated in it have so much wished that they were "boys again" as they did yesterday.

Few, if any, of the gray-haired veterans who were present at the most recent anniversary have ever believed that they would live to see the day when the United States would become an active participant in the greatest world-war in history.

How these defenders of the Union must have been thrilled by the spirit of '61 when they contemplated the call to arms in '17! Save as they are restrained by the infirmities of years or wounds, how eagerly would they respond to the latest call!

They have shared the privations, dangers, struggles and glories of one of our greatest wars and a few of them have been spared to lend the inspiration of their own example of sacrifice and service to the boys who, stimulated by the same patriotic love of country, are now ready to go forth to defend the flag that was preserved in honor by the dwindling host which made the event at Appomattox a turning point in our history.

The country is somewhat unprepared to have the Democrats on the Military Affairs Committee so strenuously oppose the President's recommendation for compulsory military service as a necessary measure of Ideal Preparedness. The Democrats demanded that the Republicans stand by the President on the war declaration, and as true patriots they did, and are still at the same old stand. It is time for the Democrats to take a stand with the Republicans or to stand out of their way.

With Austria it seems to have been a case of heeding His Master's Voice.

Governor Brumbaugh wants a free hand in expending Pennsylvania's war fund, instead of being a member of a board which will have something to say about it. With his reputation as a free spender of state funds the Senate very wisely objects to making him the sole disbursing agent.

Stagg is making the noise of real preparedness this time.

The "slackers" throughout the country who are rushing into matrimony to escape enlistment in the military service of the country are having opinions of their conduct handed to them without much hesitation or reserve. "A man who marries a girl to shirk his duty to his country," says a Chicago judge, "is not going to think very much of shirking his duty to his wife. Girls, beware!"

If it is a cold day when the gas pressure goes down, will it of necessity be a warm day when the price goes up?

If the "underground" means of communication in the United States could be dismantled as readily as the wireless outfits, the trouble making industry would not thrive so vigorously.

One of War's Worst Horrors.

Canonsburg Notes.

Another reason why we deprecate war is that it causes so many light-headed people to go crazy.

The Secret of Gardening.

Cumberland News.

The secret of gardening success: Make two potatoes grow where one onion grew before.

Rann-dom Reels

By Howard L. Rann.

THE GARDEN SEED.

The garden seed is a melancholy disappointment which is planted in hope and yields the same kind of returns on the investment.

When winter begins to die a slow and reluctant death and the front lawn is covered with budding verdure and the pigeon-toed robin, the furtive garden seed makes its appearance in package form. These packages are handed to people who own a few square feet of sour soil which has never grown anything but sandburs and dandelions but which is capable of sustaining life in a willowy milch cow for an indefinite period.

The average garden seed is very deceptive in appearance. It is almost impossible for the amateur gardener to



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open a package of seeds with a radish label on it and tell whether the contents will rise to the surface of the ground or die a miserable death in a submerged state. It is a sickening experience to pay $1 for having a small, three-cornered garden plowed, sink a whole package of night-blooming beet seeds in the center of it and then see nothing come up but sunflowers and angle worms. Yet thousands of once happy households are cast into gloom by this experience every spring.

It is a mortifying fact, that as a rule the garden seed yields the best results when planted by the deft, manicured hand of woman. Why is it that a woman can take a package of sweet pea seeds which have been kicked around a grocery store for three years last past and cause every one of them to come up faster than a school ma'am who has sat down on a tack? Nobody has ever been able to answer this question.

The greatest incentive to murder and riot which we have in this country is free garden seeds distributed by members of Congress who will never know how many acres they have lost by this infuriating practice. The man who can make a Congressional garden seed grow ought to be able to plant rubber bands and harvest inner tubes.

Natural Gas Service Characteristics

1. Public does not appreciate true value of natural gas service as compared with other heating and lighting services or heating and lighting commodities.
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You can store your supply of coal and wood in the cellar, but you cannot store Natural Gas—it must be right at your burner when you want it.

FAYETTE COUNTY GAS COMPANY.

Preparing the Garden

From National Food Garden Commission, Washington, D. C.

Pliny had the right idea. He said, "Dig deep; manure well; work often." Pliny the Elder would have been a good gardener. Twenty centuries have failed to improve his advice.

Importance of good spading or good plowing cannot be over-estimated. The roots of plants must not be cramped for room if the plant is to thrive. Moreover, the plant feeds through these roots and all of the plant food in the soil should be made available by deep digging. No amount of cultivation of growing plants will remedy poor preliminary preparation of the soil.

Do not dig so deeply that you turn poor soil on top and bury the rich soil where the roots cannot reach it. The spading should seldom be less than 8 inches deep or more than 15.

In determining the time to spade, squeeze a handful of dirt and if it crumbles when released or dropped, it is right for working. Use a spading fork rather than a spade.

If you have been able to procure manure, work it into the soil while spading.

The soil probably needs liming for sourness. One pound of slaked lime is enough for 50 square feet, but it should not be put in at the same time with the manure. Spread the lime later when raking the top soil.

In most back yard gardens the soil is too heavy. A good amount of finely sifted coal ashes, no cinders, worked in when spading will help to pulverize such soil, but will not fertilize it.

Before spading, clear off wood and metallic rubbish, but spade in all vegetable matter.

Rake and roll the spaded ground until all lumps have disappeared. Do not be satisfied with a smooth surface covering clods which will make air space beneath and waste the moisture which the roots must have.

Classified Advertisements.

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Classified columns close at noon. Advertisements of wants, sales, etc., received after that hour will not appear until the day following.

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WANTED—COOK AT BALTIMORE HOUSE. 6apr-tfd

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WANTED—COLLECTOR FOR INstalment route. Must be able to speak foreign languages; $20 per week and all expenses. Call West Side Hotel, Connellsville, after 5 P. M. Ask for MR. RESSLER. 10apr3t

For Rent.

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM BRICK veneer house. Inquire KAIL'S BANK. 9apr-tfd

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOMS AND bath. Apply 111 Johnston avenue. 9apr2td

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FOR RENT—THREE FURNISHED rooms, bath, porch conveniences; 115 South Sixth street, West Side. 7apr-tf

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For Rent.

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM FLAT, $12.00 per month. Inquire MRS. L. S. NEEL, 114 Morton avenue. 10apr2t*

FOR RENT—1 FURNISHED ROOM; five minutes walk from street car line. Inquire of No. 332 S. Chestnut St., Scottdale, Pa. 4apr12t

For Sale.

FOR SALE—GOOD SECOND HAND cornet, $15 cash. Inquire Courier. 10apr2t

FOR SALE — CORNER LOT ON paved street. Good location. Address "K. K." care Courier. 6may-tfd

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FOR SALE—ONE 1916 EIGHT cylinder Cadillac, in first class condition; was run 2,700 miles. CONNELLSVILLE GARAGE CO. 7apr1t

FOR SALE—RHODE ISLAND RED eggs for hatching; 75c for 15. JAY DAVIS, Connellsville. Bell phone 153-R. R. D. 2. 9apr3td*

FOR SALE—ONE CAR RUBBER roofing, 1, 2 and 3 ply, from $1.25 per roll up. W. L. WHIPKEY, Ninth St., West Side. Apr10-12-14-17-19-21

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FOUND—TWO RINGS, SUPPOSEDLY lost from clothing. Apply THE GOODWIN COMPANY and identify. 10apr2t

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LOST—LADIES' GOLD BAR EMblem pin on Seventh street or near Nopkie's fruit store, West Side. Return to HENRY RHODES STORE and receive reward. 9apr2td

Notice.

PARTIES HAVING A CONCRETE mixer for sale will please correspond with A. L. ANDERSON & BROS., Inc., Connellsville, Pa. 9apr2td

Personal.

MADAM MAY, W. APPLE STREET, 109. Marvelous readings. Short time only. 9apr1td*

Opportunity.

OPPORTUNITY — FOR SEVERAL young men of mechanical or electrical aptitude who are studying and desire to learn various occupations incidental to the operation of large power plant. Apply by letter or in person to L. E. HANKISON, Superintendent West Penn Power Plant, Connellsville, Pa. 31mar15t

Reward.

A REWARD OF $25 IS OFFERED for the finding of the body of Andrew Barnett, who has been missing since Wednesday night. 9apr2t

Administrator's Notice.

ESTATE OF LUDWICK PIWAR, late of the Township of Dunbar, County of Fayette and State of Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters of administration on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same, to present them properly authenticated for settlement. JOSEPH L. STADER, Administrator, Connellsville, Pa. H. G. MAY, Attorney. 18mar6t-tues

Executors' Notice.

McDonald & Cray, Attorneys.
ESTATE OF JOHN DIXON, DECeased. Letters testamentary on the estate of John Dixon, late of the city of Connellsville, Fayette County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated for settlement. JAMES L. DIXON, JOHN C. DIXON, MARY C. DIXON, Executors. P. O. address, Connellsville, Pa. 20mar6t-tues

Notice to Contractors.

ON MONDAY NIGHT, APRIL 16TH the Connellsville School District will open bids for the following equipment for the new Crawford School Building:
1.—Window Shades.
2.—Electric Fixtures.
3.—Hardware.
All bids must be in the hands of the secretary by 8 o'clock P. M., April 16th. The board reserves the right to reject all bids. Plans may be seen in the high school office or may be secured from Harry Ailtman, Architect, Uniontown, Pa. J. R. DAVIDSON, President. Attest—CAMILLA M. MUNK, Secretary. 10apr1t

Divorce Notice.

J. Kirk Bonner, Attorney.
ELIZABETH OLEXA VS. JOSEPH Olexa, in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pa., No. 549 December term, 1916. To Joseph Olexa, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case having been returned "Non est Inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pa., on the third Monday of April court, A. D., 1917, to answer the libel and complaint filed thereto, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named. THOS. L. HOWARD, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, March 19, 1917. 20mar6t-tues

Charter Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made by A. C. Stickel, Sarah E. Stickel and F. W. Conway, to the Governor of Pennsylvania, on the 17th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., under the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, A. D., 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called "STERLING COAL & COKE COMPANY," the character and object of which is the mining of coal, and the manufacture of the same into coke, and the sale of coal and coke, and for those purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly, and the supplements thereto conferred. STERLING, HIGBEE & MATTHEWS, Solicitors. mar27apr3-10

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

GETTING THIN.

I dieted for weeks to lose my surplus weight. I lived on bran and leeks, with now and then a date. I filled my poor old crop with things I hate to eat, and drank denatured slop until I had cole feet. No good things did I taste, my richest food was hay; and soon my ample waist began to shrink away. I lost my double chins, at which I gladly laughed; I said, "It surely wins, this non-starch diet graft." I thought my friends would note the changes I could see, and much warm praise devote, and much applause, to me. But they would say, "Old scout, you're sickly, it appears; since last you were about, you've aged a hundred years. Your face is white as chalk, you've shrunk a lot in weight; you ought to see the doc, before it is too late." I've found that portly gents who diet to get thin, will look like twenty cents, and feel much worse, than sin. And so once more I eat the things that please the eye; the large thick slab of meat, the rich and saudy pie.

Want Ads. 1c a Word.

Spring—After Easter Suggestions Union Supply Company Ready

After many months of preparation for Spring, the Union Supply Company stores are now ready—all stocks complete. The most interesting thing we have for the spring season is the department for women, misses, and children. This includes everything from headwear to underwear. It is useless to attempt to describe or to tabulate our variety of lines. The best way for you to get fully informed is to take a trip, make a visit, to the nearest Union Supply Company store. It is convenient for people living on the respective plants; it is convenient for people living in the nearby towns. Where you haven't got street car or train service you can get a taxicab at a reasonable fare. You save many times the fare in your purchase, even if it only be a small one. The windows, the show cases, the shelves, the entire stores, now have spring outfits, spring displays, and spring dress. There are women's gloves, women's neckwear, handkerchiefs, silk hose, silk and muslin underwear, glove silk underwear, corsets, sport skirts, silk petticoats, negligee and house gowns. There is a wonderful assortment of ribbons. You never get enough ribbons, especially to dress the children. There are Dainty Dresden Ribbons—some with satin stripes and satin edge on light and dark grounds suitable for hair bows, sashes, girdles, and millinery; Satin Royal, high lustre, best quality, in a beautiful range of new colors, for millinery and dress wear; Hair Bow and Sash Ribbons to match, in pretty light shades, with taffeta ground and moire and satin stripes; also Hair Bows with satin ground and cord stripes. There are many other nice styles of silk goods and wool goods suitable for dresses, skirts, petticoats, shirtwaists, especially adapted for spring and summer. There are colored checks, serges, black and white checks and stripes suitable for spring and summer wear. We cannot enumerate or cannot tabulate; as we said before, take our advice or our suggestion and visit a Union Supply Company store.

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60 Large Department Stores,

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We have every new style that's good. You'll find here Easter styles to please.

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Spring-time is coming; housecleaning is beginning. We are at your service. Save money by dealing at the People's Furniture and Hardware Store.

Best Varnish Stain, a quart 64c
Ground Color, a quart 64c
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1 Ply ..... $ .98
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Six ft. Chicken Wire, 12c per yard, one week only. Furniture, Rugs and Hardware at reduced prices.

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1917 Model at $25.00. One stand free with each Bicycle.

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Look for the Right Name.

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IF YOU WANT

Anything, Have Anything for Sale or Rent, Try Our Classified Ads at One Cent a Word. They Bring the Results

At the Theatres

SOISSON THEATRE.

"SATAN'S PRIVATE DOOR."—The scourge of wealth, when improperly used, is vividly portrayed in "Satan's Private Door," a five reel drama featuring Mary Charleson. A story well worth while is unfolded here. It sounds a trident warning of the perils of riches. It cheers the lowly in pocketbook by proving that all that glitters in this world is not necessarily gold. Mary Charleson appears in the leading role and this pretty little actress is easily identified by her valiant work as Henry B. Walthall's leading woman in "The Truant Soul." "Dippy Dan's Doings," a two reel L-Ko comedy will also be shown and it is a scream from start to finish. Animated Weekly No. 65. Tomorrow the popular Bluebird star, Ella Hall, appears in the five reel Bluebird drama, "Polly Red Head." Ella Hall will interpret dual roles, playing characters that represent two little girls so much alike that one may be substituted for the other in a time of domestic stress, when their elders have come to the parting ways in married life. How these little red-heads are instrumental in working out a happy solution of the difficulties forms an interesting screen presentment. "The Purple Mask" No. 15, the last episode of this serial featuring Grace Cunard and Francis Ford, will be shown also.

THE PARAMOUNT.

"WAR BRIDES."—Introducing the famous Russian tragedienne Nazimova to moving picture audiences, will be presented tomorrow and Thursday. "War Brides" is taken from Nazimova's greatest stage success and is a story of greater tragedies than those of the trenches. The photodrama begins with a series of pictures of the lives of the peasants and their hard struggle for existence. Joan, the central figure, played by Nazimova is loved by a young man of the village, and they are betrothed. Then comes the shadow of approaching war, and they are married. In a few weeks the young husband goes to the front soon followed by his three brothers. Word is received that the husband has been killed in battle and Joan's impulse is to end her own life but prospective motherhood recalls a new responsibility. The military authorities begin a movement to get the young women of the neighborhood to marry departing soldiers that the empire may have another generation of fighting men. Joan is aroused and goes among the women urging them not to submit. For this she is imprisoned. Word is received that the King is to pass through the village and Joan escapes from her cell. She organizes the women in a general protest against war. She leads them, all clad in black, in a long procession to meet the monarch. Joan comes face to face with the ruler, and kills herself, as her message from the women, then refused to make another generation victims of a ruthless militarism.

THE PARAMOUNT.

"THE WINNING OF SALLY TEMPLE."—A five part paramount attraction starring Fanny Ward, the celebrated photodramatic star, is an interesting feature today. In "The Winning of Sally Temple," Miss Ward is seen as the high-spirited, sympathetic, young heiress of London in the period of 1770. She is seen as Sally Temple living with her sister amid the squalor of romance of Pump Lane, an obscure gray heart of the London slums. She's a great stage favorite and when Lily Pamela Cavelain, who marries the weeks before she is of age hears that her guardian is about to return to Britain to see her for the first time, Sally Temple is secured to impersonate her. Lord Romsey, the guardian, is a fire-eating braggadocio, but he meets his match in Sally and promptly falls in love with her. Sally rejects him and returns to Pump Lane. Lord Romsey following her disguised as a blacksmith. Sally also is pursued by Duke Chatto who attempts to kidnap her. How she is saved, how Pump Lane is freed from the Duke of Chatto's heavy taxation and how Lord Romsey finally wins the heart of the young actress makes a story unusual in its action.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"HER NEW YORK"—Is the story of a country girl who idolizes the great city, of which she has heard so many alluring tales and none of the despairing ones. She has her wish at last and goes there to marry a young fellow who entertains ambitions to be a poet. They find the waif and adopt it, and then to spoil the happiness Philip starts gambling and gets in debt to his employer who looks with covetous eyes on Phoebe. The employer succeeds in creating a doubt that later turns to certainty in Phoebe's mind that her husband has deceived her. Then for a time there is only hard unfeeling New York around the girl, but of course, it all comes out right. New York gets bright and happy again. Gladys Hulette gains new laurels as Phoebe. "Jerry's Romance," a Cub comedy, will also be shown. Tomorrow William Fox presents George Walsh in the five reel drama, "Melting Millions." A spendthrift is saved by a girl. He inherits a fortune from his father. He also inherits a fiancee. He sets out to spend his fortune and almost succeeds when Vera Morton, whom the will said Jack should marry, steps in. By a clever trick she gets his money away from him and keeps it until he settles down to earn a living.

DRINK HABIT

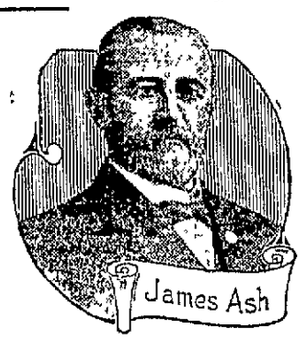
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This should give any sufferer from rheumatism confidence to try Rheuma.—Adv.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, April 10.—The teachers of the Methodist Episcopal church gave a miscellaneous shower for Miss Grace Hixenbaugh, whose marriage to Clarence Brill of Ohio, will take place in the near future. The affair was held at the home of Mrs. I. H. Daugh, Saturday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock. The bride-elect was presented by Miss Anna Larson. A large number of gifts, consisting of linen, silverware and cut glass were received. After a social hour a dainty lunch was served. The house was beautifully decorated with potted plants and the color scheme of yellow and white was attractively carried out. The guests numbered 31.

Mongo Weimer visited friends at West Newton Saturday.

Nathaniel Stuck was in Pittsburg Sunday to visit his son, William, who is a patient at the West Penn hospital.

Ollie Luce was a business caller in Pittsburg Thursday.

Ray Stickel, who has been ill the past few weeks, is improved.

Miss Marguerite Stickel was a Connellsville shopper Saturday.

Ayres Young of West Newton spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Samuel Keffer.

Miss Helen Strickler spent Sunday at her home in Scottdale.

Miss Elizabeth Baker spent Saturday at Star Junction.

The minstrel to be given by the suffragots Saturday evening, April 14, has been postponed indefinitely.

Miss Helen Cole spent Easter with friends at New Castle.

Paul Martin, a student at State College, is spending the Easter vacation with his parents.

Miss Helen Renn and Katherine Anderson of Wilkinsburg are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brown.

The C. W. B. M. Auxiliary of the Christian church held its Easter service at the home of Mrs. M. E. Carson Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Ollie Luce had charge of the meeting. The following program was carried out: Solo, Miss Ruth Luce; several short talks on "The Last Week of Church Life;" music by Misses Bessie and Otha Hixenbaugh of Dallas, town, house guests of Mrs. M. E. Carson.

J. B. Snyder and Ira Blair were business callers in Brownsville Saturday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a mothers' meeting on Wednesday afternoon in the Methodist Episcopal church. All ladies of the community are cordially invited to attend.

John Elwell has moved his family to Homestead.

Attention!

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Harry M. Wirsing of the Wirsing Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo School of Uniontown, Pa., has opened a branch school in this city at No. 608 Second National Bank Building, Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings of each week only. Private instructions on Mandolin, Guitar, Banjo, Mandolo and Mando-Cello.

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Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, April 10.—Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Meyers were in Pittsburg last evening attending a banquet.

James Black of Meyersdale was a recent business visitor here.

Lucille Burnworth, who has been ill for some time, has so far recovered as to have been able to attend the communion services in the Lutheran church Sunday morning and the Easter services in the Methodist Episcopal church in the evening.

Louis Lininger of Connellsville, visited friends here Sunday.

Rev. H. E. Trimmer of Ohiopyle was here yesterday on his return from Harnedsville where he preached Sunday night.

Mrs. J. T. Fox and two children of Philadelphia are here visiting Mrs. Fox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Groff. They were called here by the serious illness of Mrs. Groff.

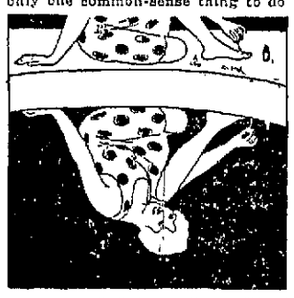
Elliott L. Beggs and little daughter of Connellsville visited friends here Sunday.

Quite a number of the members of the Christian Church held a surprise on their pastor, Rev. David Morris, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pyle last evening.

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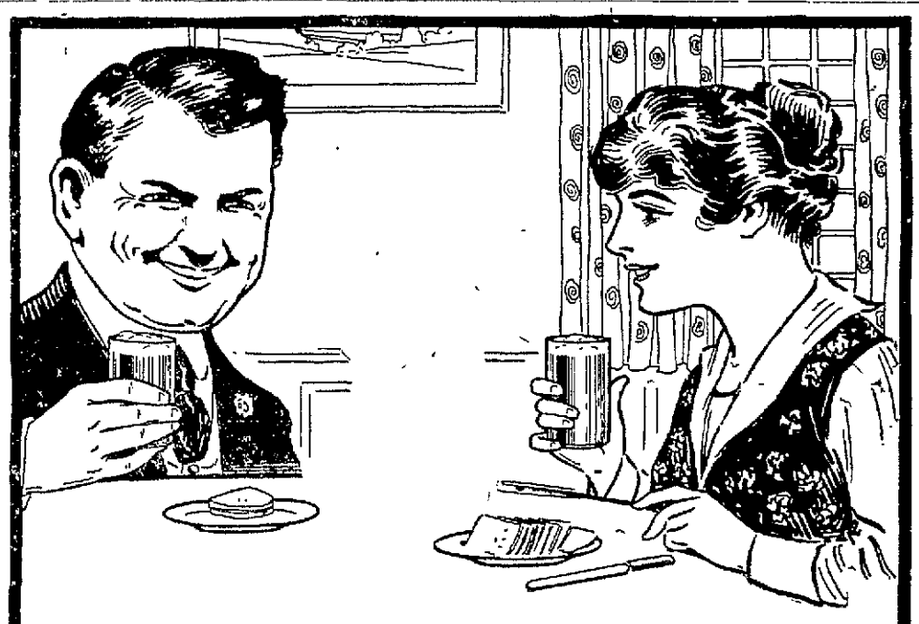
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

One of the largest and most delightful social functions of the season was an Easter prom given last evening at the armory by the Connellsville High School Alumni. About 101 couples, including college boys and girls who are home for the Easter vacation, and a number of out of town guests, attended and danced from 9 o'clock until after midnight. The dance was well appointed and all present had a general good time. The decorations were patriotic in effect, American flags being profusely arranged throughout the hall. Pennants were strung about the balcony. An enjoyable feature of the dance was the music. Kiferle's orchestra, which was at its best, and a Hawaiian orchestra, which is appearing at the Dixie Theatre, Uniontown, this week, played, the latter musicians arriving at 11.30. A buffet luncheon was served throughout the evening. The committee in charge of the dance was composed of Misses Camilla Munk, Mary Thomas, and Ada Mae Hannam, Junior Marshall, Percy Sheetz and Harry Loudon. Among the out of town guests were D. C. Cook of Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stauffer, Misses Madeline and Theresa Brennen, Joseph Yahner, Eugene Perry, Frank Keller, Charles Miller, John Mellon and Miss Mary Byrne of Scottdale; Miss Pauline Boyle, Miss Martha Ruby, Miss Anna Taylor, Miss Elizabeth Cook, O'Neil Kennedy, Playford Boyle and George Titlow of Uniontown and Solason Madigan of Steubenville, O.

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At the regular meeting of the T. J. Hooper Bible class of the First Presbyterian Sunday school, held last evening in the church, plans were discussed for a class banquet to be held Friday, June 8. The meeting was well attended and at the close of the business session refreshments were served.

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The Mission Study class of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church met last evening in the church, the regular lesson for study being discussed.

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George Blackson of Youngwood and Gertrude J. Murphy of Connellsville, were granted a marriage license in Greensburg yesterday.

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The regular meeting of the Yough Medico Social Club will be held Thursday evening at the home of Dr. John Dixon in West Apple street.

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An endowment of $100,000 for the extension and maintenance of the mission work within its confines was approved at the meeting of the Redstone Presbytery held yesterday in the Second Presbyterian church in Uniontown. Pastors of the churches of the Presbytery were directed to submit the project to their respective congregations and make reports at the meeting to be held Monday, June 11, in Uniontown. Rev. J. L. Proudfit, moderator of the Presbytery, presided, with Rev. W. H. Sloan of the Presbyterian church of Leisenring acting in his stated position as clerk. Among the commissioners and elders named to represent the Redstone Presbytery at the General Assembly which meets at Dallas, Tex., July 17, were Rev. W. H. Sloan of Leisenring, commissioner, W. R. Carpenter of Mount Pleasant and M. D. Gault of the Tyrone church near Dawson, alternate elders. Rev. Dr. J. E. Hutchinson of Scottdale was named chairman of the vacancy and supply committee for the ensuing year. Churches in the Redstone Presbytery will observe the 400th anniversary of the reformation during the month of October. No definite date for the observance was named. Among the 61 churches in the Presbytery there is but one vacant pulpit, that being the Laurel Hill church, from which Rev. J. B. Reed recently resigned.

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The marriage of Miss Eliza McCullogh, daughter of Mrs. Ada McCullogh of Greensburg, and Harrison Null Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dempsey Boyd of Uniontown, was solemnized yesterday at noon at the home of the bride. Rev. Charles Schall, pastor of the First Presbyterian church officiated, and only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom witnessed the ceremony. The bride wore a handsome afternoon gown of dark blue Georgette crepe embroidered in silver, and a dark blue hat. Her corsage bouquet was of pink orchids. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the Greensburg Country club. The tables were centered with pink snap sampdragons and pink chiffon. Dougherty's orchestra played during the breakfast and the dansant, which followed. At 4 o'clock Mr. Boyd and his bride left for a ten days' or two weeks stay in the east. On their return they will be at home at Edenborn, where the former is superintendent for the H. C. Frick Coke company, in whose employ he has been since his graduation from Cheltenham academy, quite a few years ago. Among the out of town guests were Judge and Mrs. James Clark Work, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Semans, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bliss, A. P. Austin, R. W. Austin, Miss Mary Henry, Hurst Core, of Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Boyd of Hostetter, and Mr. and Mrs. Logan D. Boyd of Clairton, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dom of Dawson.

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A well attended meeting of the Business Women's Christian association was held last evening in the association's quarters in the First National Bank building. The Bible study was in charge of Mrs. J. F. Kerr and was preceded by supper. At a business meeting it was decided to not hold a box social, which was planned at a previous meeting. Instead each member pledged $2.50 towards the equipment of the new rooms recently secured by the association.

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A business meeting of the Young Peoples society of the United Brethren church will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the church.

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Mrs. W. D. Cunningham will entertain the Woman's club Saturday afternoon at her home in the South Side.

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Mrs. R. G. Himmelrich gave a luncheon Saturday afternoon at her home in Bellevue to announce the engagement of her daughter, Miss Louise Himmelrich to P. MacFarland Fleming of Pittsburg. The engagement will terminate in a summer wedding. Miss Himmelrich is a relative of Mrs. H. Claude Hays and has visited at the Hays home in West Washington avenue. She also has friends in Uniontown.

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Athens Temple No. 25, Pythian Sisters, will meet Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall. All members are requested to attend.

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Mrs. Virginia Shelby, a primary teacher in the South Connellsville schools, and Joseph Dull, Jr., employed by the Prudential Insurance Company in Connellsville, were quietly married in Greensburg yesterday by Rev. S. B. Mase, the ceremony being performed at the parsonage. The bridegroom's home is at Broad Ford.

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PERSONAL.

Solesson Theatre today—"Satan's Private Door," with Mary Charleson, 5 reels. "Dippy Dean's Doings," 2 reels, comedy. Animated Weekly No. 65. Tomorrow, Ella Hall in "Polly Redhead," 5 reels. "The Purple Mask" No. 15.—Adv.

J. A. Armstrong, cashier of the Second National Bank, is confined to his home with a carbuncle on the back of his neck which is causing him very severe pain

Mr. and Mrs. Arkie Murrie of Martin Ferry, O., visited relatives over Sunday.

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Arthur Bowman, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bowman of Cedar avenue, left yesterday for St. Paul to take up work with the Weyerhauser lumber interests with which his brother James has been associated for several years.

Misses Marie and Anna Jamieson of South Connellsville, and Lowell Hughes of Leisenring No. 3, spent Sunday in Fairmont as the guests of Sergeant John E. White of Company L of Morgantown. They ate dinner at the camp headquarters.

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Mrs. Theodore Nelson who has been the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Wilbur Nelson, accompanied by Rev. Nelson, left yesterday morning for Detroit, Mich., to spend a few days with her daughter, Miss Edwina Nelson, a nurse in the Grace Hospital before returning to her home in Saginaw, Mich. Rev. Nelson will spend about two weeks with his mother.

Attorney Fred Munson is in Pittsburg today on business.

See Nazimova in "War Brides," Paramount Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday.—Adv.—10-2t.

Mrs. M. B. Pryce went to Pittsburg this morning.

E. C. Moore is a Pittsburg caller today.

J. R. Mostrezat went to Pittsburg today.

Miss Angela Stader and school friend, Miss Carmen Manley of New York, will return to their studies at St. Xavier's academy at Beatty tomorrow after spending the Easter vacation with Miss Stader's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stader of West Crawford avenue.

Dr. W. N. Goldsmith has gone to Pittsburg to attend the annual spring meeting of the Odontological Society of Western Pennsylvania, which convened this morning at the William Penn Hotel, for a two days' session.

Frank Tarr of Dawson, was in Uniontown yesterday on business.

Miss Ruby Dull went to Pittsburg this morning.

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Mrs. W. S. Hester of Monroe, Pa., is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ashe.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Evans are home from Florida, where they spent the greater part of the winter.

Miss Harriet Dunn has returned to Allegheny college at Meadville, after spending the Easter vacation with her father, Harry Dunn, and grandparents, Captain and Mrs. Edmund Dunn.

Mrs. H. C. Hays and little daughter, Betty Jane, are sojourning at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Joseph Riling was in Pittsburg yesterday.

Mrs. H. P. Sickles and daughter, Florence of Donora, and Leroy Lonker of Elrama and B. C. Cence of Uniontown, were guests at the home of Henry Cence at Dunbar over Easter.

Miss Bertha Cence of Dunbar has gone to Donora to attend school.

Miss Alice Donegan is visiting friends in Wheeling, W. Va., for a few days. Miss Donegan and Miss Julia Coyne spent Easter with friends in Pittsburg.

Miss Anne Donnelly will return to Drexel institute at Philadelphia this evening, after spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Donnelly of West Peach street.

Miss Emma Katharine Kurtz and school friend, Miss Katharine Gumbie of Millford, Pa., Miss Catherine Gans and H. D. Shallenberger, the latter of Vanderbilt, returned to their studies at State College this afternoon.

Carroll Addis of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Addis of South Pittsburg street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McBeth and daughter, Mrs. C. A. Cowley of Braddock, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Crowley of Vine street. Mrs. Cowley will remain all week.

Mrs. Alice Connell of McKeesport, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Evans of Lincoln avenue, returned home yesterday. Mrs. Connell was called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. George W. Garlst.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spittler and daughter, Margaret, residents of Hagerstown, Md., for some time, are visiting relatives here prior to taking up their residence in Brownsville.

G. A. R. OBSERVES APPOMATTOX DAY

Banquet at Yough House Attended by Twenty-Six Veterans of Civil War.

William F. Kurtz Post, No. 104, G. A. R., celebrated yesterday the 52d anniversary of the surrender of Lee to Grant at Appomattox in a fitting way. Twenty-six veterans gathered in the Yough House, among them several who had been present at Appomattox, and the patriotic and reminiscent speeches, continuing from 11 o'clock until 4 o'clock, were halted only by a sumptuous banquet served them shortly after noon.

The ceremonies were begun in the hotel parlor with the singing of "America" by W. G. Hicks, an honorary member of the post, and Miss Mercedes Gladden, the "daughter of the post." Commander W. P. Clark then read the general orders. Rev. L. C. White of the Presbyterian Church of Vanderbilt gave a talk on the present war, stating that "God is on our side."

The Appomattox Day speeches followed. Francis Cunningham of Ohiopyle and H. H. Yarnell, both of whom were present at the surrender, gave talks, and Isaak Collins of Ohiopyle, taken prisoner just before Appomattox, told of his experience.

Following the rendition of the army calls by Lyman, Strickler, post bugler, Rev. W. H. Gladden, honorary member of the post, told what had been accomplished by Appomattox.

Dinner was then served. The room was elaborately decorated for the occasion. Mrs. B. F. Boyts presented the post a bouquet of carnations, asking that each veteran wear one, in memory of her husband, the late B. F. Boyts, a member of the post. A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Boyts.

The comrades, adjourning to the upstairs parlor again, were entertained with songs by C. H. Whitely and J. G. Hicks, with Miss Gladden at the piano. Many of the veterans gave talks, and the assembly was concluded with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner." Those present were:

W. P. Clark, J. J. Barnhart; Francis Cunningham and I. L. Collins of Ohiopyle; Alex Pringle of Broad Ford; E. Dunn, Henry Kurtz, John Robinson, William Artis, J. G. Pritchard, A. S. Haddock, J. R. Baisley, C. H. Whiteley, Clark Collins, John L. Jones, J. S. Reagan, L. L. Collins, Alfred Brashear, Lyman Strickler, John Boyd; Israel Ruff of South Connellsville; W. H. Shaw, J. G. Hicks, W. H. Gladden, Adam Nicholson, H. H. Yarnell; Mrs. J. J. Barnhart, Mrs. W. H. Gladden, and Miss Mercedes Gladden.

OHIOPYLE MEN FOR GOOD ROADS

Another Branch of Connellsville-Farmington Highway Formed With 86 Members.

Another branch of the Connellsville-to-Farmington Good Roads League was formed at Ohiopyle last night when about 85 men from that section met at the Ohiopyle House and decided to join with the leagues previously formed at Mill Run, Bear Run and Normalville.

F. M. Rush was elected chairman of the league; I. F. Woowmancy, secretary, and John Burke, treasurer. A committee composed of F. E Burdette, Robert Holt and Milt Wildy was named to meet with committees from the other leagues on Thursday night at the Bear Run clubhouse.

At this meeting further plans for the improvement of the Connellsville-Farmington road will be discussed.

The Ohiopyle men are enthusiastic over the project and will lend all the assistance in their power to putting it through.

An Invitation to Women.

Women are invited to visit the laboratory of the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. at Lynn, Mass., and see for themselves with what accuracy, skill and cleanliness this wonderful remedy for women's ailments is prepared. Over 350,000 pounds of roots and herbs are used annually in making this famous medicine. The great bins of herbs, the huge tanks filled with the medicine ready to be bottled, and the bottling room where it is put up and labelled for the market, cannot help but impress them with the reliability of this good, old-fashioned root and herb remedy, which for the past forty years has been so successful in the home treatment of female ills.—Adv.

Brick Plant Burned.

The Williams plant of the Joseph Solsson Fire Brick company at Bolivar was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. W. H. Solsson, general manager of the company, conducted an investigation of the blaze yesterday. No estimate of the loss has been announced.

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The Grim Reaper

WILLIAM H. MAGEE.

William H. Magee died Sunday at his home in Pittsburg. Requiem high mass will be celebrated tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St Peter's Roman Catholic church, Pittsburg. Mr. Magee had friends in Connellsville and vicinity Mrs. Mary Creedon of South Connellsville went to Pittsburg this morning to attend the funeral.

MIKE COCHAN.

Mike Cochan, six months old son of Mr and Mrs John Cochan, died yesterday afternoon of meningitis at the family residence at Leisenring No. 2. Interment this afternoon in St. John's cemetery.

EDWARD CONDRON.

Edward Condron, 18 years old, died this morning at his home near the Brick School at Dunbar, following an illness of asthma. He is survived by his widow, Kathryn Condron and the following children: Elizabeth and Rose of Pittsburg; Mary and James Condron, at home. Notice of funeral later.

MRS. SUSAN A HAMILTON.

Mrs. Susan A Hamilton, wife of Elmer D. Hamilton of McKeesport, and known in Connellsville, died yesterday afternoon in a Pittsburg hospital where she was a patient for several weeks.

MENEFEE-SIMPSON

Night Ticket Agent of P. & L. E. Weds Telephone Operator.

Joseph R. Menefee of the West Side and Miss Ada Evelyn Simpson of Scottdale, eloped to Cumberland yesterday

Mr. Menefee, who is night ticket agent for the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad here, is a son of Mr and Mrs. Walter Menefee of West Crawford avenue. The bride is a night telephone operator at Scottdale. The couple said nothing of the wedding on their return and both returned to work.

The wedding is a culmination of a telephone romance, the couple first becoming acquainted over the wire. The groom is a graduate of the Connellsville high school, having completed his course there in 1915. He starred on the football team while in school.

Install Officers.

The recently elected officers of the Connellsville Lodge No. 503, B. P. O. Elks were installed last evening at the Elks home by District Deputy William Carle of Jeannette. The annual banquet accompanied the installation. At the close of the ceremonies, Secretary John Wallace presented J. B. Millard, retiring exalted ruler, with a diamond studded watch fob as a testimonial of esteem from the members.

Killed by Fall of Slate.

Mark Warnou, 29 years old, was killed and P. J. Gallaghan, assistant mine foreman, was slightly injured as the result of a fall of slate Saturday afternoon in the Phillips mine. Warnou was buried beneath tons and tons of debris and his body was not recovered until 36 hours after the accident.

Revivals at Dunbar.

Much interest is being manifested in revival services which are being held in the Second Baptist church at Dunbar by Rev. C. J. Wells, field missionary of the Y. W. B. A., assisted by C. M. Gregory, licentiate.

Licensed to Wed.

Jesse Hallhill of Star Junction, and Barbara Burns of Vanderbilt; Dansele Ressa of Connellsville and Bessie Owens of Pittsburg, were granted marriage licenses in Uniontown yesterday.

Licensed to Wed.

Peter Kenkle of Connellsville and Rozalia Dominkowska of Pittsburg; Hernon S. Longanecker and Virginia M. Colborn of West Newton, were granted marriage licenses in Pittsburg yesterday.

Leave Hospital.

Isabelle Miller of Garrett was discharged from the Cottage State hospital today. H. L. Thoman, who underwent an operation, left Sunday.

OLD GLORY TO FLY FROM A TALL POLE ON CITY HALL LAWN

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ceremony on either Memorial Day or on Flag Day, but they hope to have the pole raised long before the latter holiday, which comes on June 14.

A communication from the Mount Pleasant council was read at last night's meeting, asking that a joint meeting be held by a committee from that place with a Connellsville committee, to protest to the Public Service Commission the proposed increase in rates by the Fayette County Gas company. Mayor R. Marietta appointed Councilmen Duggan, Pryce and West a committee to confer with them at any time and place they might suggest. In the meanwhile, petitions protesting against the increase have been prepared and placed in the hands of F. E. Markell, who will attempt to get a large number of signers.

Assistant City Solicitor F. E. Younkin appeared before council to explain that measures are to be taken shortly to have property owners on five streets recently improved pay up for the paving. Mr. Younkin said that some collections had been made, and that he had $4,292 to hand over to the city. The Wills road trouble will be adjusted shortly by the replacing of defective brick, and it is supposed that the property owners there will then pay up at once.

William A. Artis offered his lot on Jefferson, formerly Tenth street, to the city, which desires it in order to widen the street, for $400. Council will look over the lot this afternoon, when the solons will meet as a committee of the whole and take an inspection tour to that end of town. At this time they will look into the case of Robert Mills, who, it was reported last night, has closed an alley opening on Etna street by fencing it in. The alley is alleged to have been open for 34 years before this occurrence.

A letter from William Gates, real estate agent for the H. C. Frick Coke company, was read and referred to the city assessor for verification. Mr. Gates claims that while the company's 1916 assessment was for 55 acres in the Sixth ward and for 22½ in the Seventh, there were in reality, only 20 acres in the Seventh. As three acres in the Sixth and six in the Seventh were mined during the year, the 1917 assessment should be for 52 and 14 acres this year, Mr. Gates says.

FIREMEN BOOK TWO CARNIVALS

City Not to Pine Away For Lack of This Kind of Show; One Each Side of River.

Connellsville is to enjoy two carnivals this summer, both under the auspices of the volunteer firemen whose president, J. A. Cypher, appeared before council last night to ask permission to go ahead and book the first show.

"Why don't you wait till we get some sunshine?" Mayor R. Marietta asked. Mr. Cypher explained that the carnivals booked towns far ahead, and it was necessary for him to know immediately if a license would be granted.

"We plan to have two carnivals this summer, one on each side of the river," Mr. Cypher said. "The first one we want for the first week in May and we will hold it on the West Side. The date for the second is indefinite."

"The city ordinance permits carnivals," Councilman John Duggan remarked, "and the matter really comes under the jurisdiction of the mayor."

"Well, we didn't want to do anything without asking you first," Mr. Cypher said.

"I guess it'll be all right,' was the mayor's decree.

GET'S ELEVEN CENTS.

Thief Breaks Into Courier Pressroom and Takes Money.

Crawling through a basement window into the pressroom of The Courier last night, a thief broke open a small wooden box containing money belonging to Frank Dorchock. The robber got only 11 cents, Frank having taken $4.85 out of it Saturday night.

The thief apparently took his time, forcing open a cupboard in which Dorchock kept the money and using a hammer and chisel to open the box.

Serious Charge Preferred.

Andy Nestor was given a hearing yesterday before Alderman Fred Munk on a serious charge preferred by Annie Milko. The case was settled.

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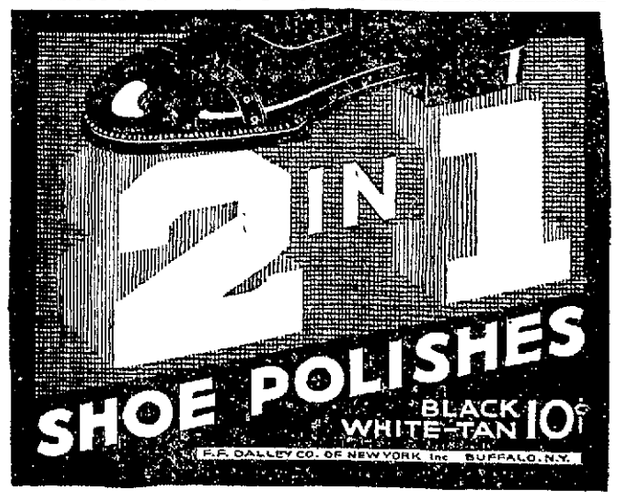
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"Charmed to humor your whim. Consider me a docile little supposer. And then?"

The Dowager Dragon glanced fore and aft; but there were no other passengers within earshot, and the ports behind them, though alight, were shut and sound-tight. "Betty Merrilees," she said.

"You're warm—as the children say in hide-and-seek."

"Aha!" the lady cried in triumph. "Well, then! Betty doesn't mean to try to beat the customs. She told me so herself. The row that man Loeb has kicked up about smuggling has scared her so that she's made up her mind to declare every blessed trinket. So you see, Quoin, you're simply wasting your time trailing Betty Merrilees."

Quoin smiled vaguely at his finger tips. "No, I'm not," he contradicted.

Mrs. Beggarstaff sniffed suspiciously. "I've guessed wrong?"

"For once in a way. The truth is, I don't care whether Mrs. Merrilees defrauds the government or not. It's over a year since I left the secret service. I don't like the work—too tame—and having learned all it could teach me, I quietly dropped out and returned to my old field."

"Private investigation, eh?"

"There's some fun in that," Quoin said with mild enthusiasm. "Odd jobs—I love 'em. They're generally so very odd—unexpected besides."

"Quoin," the lady inquired with a change of tone, "you remember the Joachim collection?"

"Do I remember it!" Quoin protested with reproachful sincerity. "I wish I might hope ever to be repaid for the sleep I lost on that case!"

"You never got a clue?"

"Never one. That was a masterly job."

"Has none of the stuff ever turned up?"

"Oh, plenty of it, here and there—mostly in Europe. In fact, I'm told that Joachim has reassembled most of the collection; but it has cost him five times his original outlay."

"There are, of course, pieces still missing?"

"Oh, naturally!"

"Well, then," said the lady deliberately, "I don't mind telling you that there's one piece I distinctly remember, on board this ship—a magnificent sardonyx cameo."

"Truly?"

"Would you care to see it? Then—look!"

Mrs. Beggarstaff unclosed her left hand. In its palm lay Miss Carteret's brooch!

With a wondering exclamation, Quoin bent forward to examine the cameo, while Mrs. Beggarstaff regarded with a triumphant smile his bent head. It was something to have startled the greatest living detective, which was precisely the distinction the keen-witted old woman accorded this man.

"Take it to the light and have a good look."

"Thank you," said Quoin, rising instantly and moving forward to the lighted companionway, where he lingered a long minute, intently inspecting the brooch with a small magnifying glass.

"Unquestionably one of the missing pieces," he declared flatly, returning. "And, if I'm not mistaken, one of the finest in the collection. How did you come by it, please?"

"It's the property of the young person who shares my cabin; name, Lucy Carteret. She's an American, about twenty, and has lived abroad all her life. Now she's going to New York to join her father, who—she says—gave her this on her fifteenth birthday."

"The question is, Who is Carteret pere?"

"I'm not psychic," Mrs. Beggarstaff objected. "The woods are full of Carterets; but I know none that this child resembles in any way. Besides, she has denied every relatio 've suggested so far."

"But we mustn't forget that, when found, this paternal Carteret will probably prove to be a perfectly honest bourgeois who picked up the cameo casually in some out-of-the-way shop, at home or abroad. I've often thought that the widespread distribution of that loot might be taken as pretty good evidence in support of something I've always contended was a popular chimera—the existence of a regular organization of social freebooters. You're going?" he added as Mrs. Beggarstaff stirred and sat up, preparatory to rising.

"The present owner of this bauble is asleep—and I want to replace it before she wakes up."

"One minute, if you don't mind. Perhaps you can tell me something—"

"On one condition," the old lady stipulated firmly. "You must let me in on the ground floor. I'll not lift my hand to help you in anything that's a mystery to me."

"I don't mind telling you in the least. This isn't a case—just simple curiosity on my part. Did you ever know anybody by the name of Hicks-Lorrimer—in London?"

"Bless my income!" exclaimed Mrs. Beggarstaff indignantly. "No! Who is he—or she?"

"I don't know; that's why I asked you—who know everybody. One question more: What do you know about your friend Mr. Craven?"

"Ted Craven?" exclaimed the Dowager Dragon in blank amazement. "What's he been doing?"

"Nothing very desperate: only making love to Mrs. Merrilees. Think she'll marry him?"

"Couldn't say. She's a flighty creature, and Ted's tremendously amusing. What concern is it of yours?"

"None whatever. You haven't told me what you know about him."

"Why—of course!—what the world knows. He's an entertaining little man who came out of nowhere to cheer us up about fifteen years ago. Never was heard of before one fine morning when we all woke up to find he belonged. No money, so far as I know—or just enough to enable him to live well without working too hard. Nowadays New York teems with just this type of unaccountable persons—decent, diverting, well-bred, and three-quarters idle. That's all—except I like the man."

"You never heard he was married?"

"He isn't!" Mr Beggarstaff exclaimed, dumfound

"I don't say so. nly wonder. Of course, if you never eard he was married, you never suspected him of having a daughter—you're too pure-minded."

"Thank you for nothing. What are you driving at?"

"And if he hasn't a daughter, who in thunderation is Lydia?"

"Quoin," said the Dowager Dragon



Almost Immediately the Hiss Was Answered by Quick, Light Footsteps.

solemnly, "I warn you, if you keep me on tenterhooks another instant—"

"Here you are, then," the detective interposed hastily; "but keep it to yourself. Yesterday afternoon, when I was killing time in the wireless house, a message came in which I read over the operator's shoulder as he wrote it down. It was for Craven, and ran something like this: 'Lydia disappeared. What shall I do? Awaiting advice before notifying police.' Signed, 'Hicks-Lorrimer.' And after a while Craven's reply was brought in for transmission. 'Keep away from police. If girl doesn't return, wire me New York Saturday.' Addressed, 'Hicks-Lorrimer, eleven King Charles' court, London, West.' Now who is 'Lydia' to Craven if not wife or daughter, that wireless messages must advise him of her disappearance? Not his wife; for he refers to her in his reply as the 'girl.' If his daughter, he must be a widower."

After a thoughtful moment the Dowager Dragon exclaimed, "Quoin! This Joachim brooch—has it struck you that the cameo bears a resemblance to anyone we know?"

"Craven, of course! Now you mention it, a distinct resemblance."

"This Miss Carteret says her father gave it to her because of its likeness to him."

"What did you say the name was, in full?"

"Lucy Carteret. But when she told me she tripped and stumbled over something that sounded suspiciously like 'Lid.' 'Lid' for Lydia, eh?"

"Lucy Carteret—Lydia Craven," the detective mused aloud.

"Help me up," the Dowager Dragon demanded excitedly. "I'm going downstairs this minute and have a good look round that cabin, if the girl isn't awake. Quoin," she added with exclamation, as the detective gave her his hand, "if it turns out as we think—"

"Hope?" he suggested, smiling.

"For my part, hope. If it turns out as we hope, this voyage is going to be most amusing. And I was afraid of being bored!"

"Then," Quoin reminded her, "you ought to be very grateful to me."

"I love you for it!" Mrs. Beggarstaff declared ardently.

CHAPTER III.

Long after dark Miss Carteret wakened. For some minutes she lay in lazy content, unstirring, wide eyes dreaming into obscurity. The stateroom was dusky with shadows; but deck lights beyond the open window ports painted wan squares upon the white interior woodwork. The sweep of clean sea air through the room was as sweet as fresh cool water to a parched throat. Feeling stronger and more herself for each delicious breath, humbly the girl gave thanks; for it seemed that, with the passing of the gale, the ghastly incubus of mal-de-mer had been exorcised.

Presently, conscious of a pang of hunger, she touched the repeating spring on her bracelet watch—an exquisitely small, jeweled extravagance, her father's gift of the previous Christmas—and bent an attentive ear to its silla chime. Eight o'clock. It was too late to dress and dine in public. But as she lay in doubt, trying to decide whether she was really as hungry as she felt, or would do better to deny herself food until breakfast, she heard a sound from the outer deck so singular that in a twinkling it focused her drowsy, errant wits.

The sound was "Psst-psst-psssst," a trisyllable hiss of which each part was longer and more emphatic than its predecessor. Unmistakably of human origin, though as odd and alarming as the warning of a serpent, it brought the girl from her bed to her feet with a start.

Her movement was a noiseless one. The man who had sounded that strange call she discovered standing immediately outside the window; his back was to it, so that she could see little more than the concave line of his dark, lean, shaved cheek, and the back of a long, narrow head beneath a steamer cap with vizor well down over his eyes.

Almost immediately the hiss was answered by quick, light footsteps, and the voice of one as yet invisible, a voice of guarded accent but vibrant with indignation. "What the devil do you mean by buzzing me like that?"

The girl trembled. Unless her senses were untrustworthy, she knew that voice better than her own. It seemed impossible that she could be mistaken.

It was again audible, the response of the man outside the window having escaped her. "You infatuate ass! Don't you know better than to take such chances?"

"Oh, it's all right. He's up on the boat deck, chinnin' with some skirt. I made sure of that before I laid for you. Trust me."

"Trust you to play the fool! Don't you know every word you utter can be overheard in those staterooms?"

Instinctively the girl crouched in the shadow of her bedstead, in deadly terror lest she be detected at her involuntary eavesdropping—so strong upon her sensitive perceptions the psychological effect of this surreptitious passage.

But her fears were quickly dissipated, the interview terminating as abruptly as it had begun.

"Good-night!" that well-remembered voice continued incisively. "And for the last time I warn you: Don't approach me again aboard this ship!"

"But—listen," the other pleaded and threatened in the one breath. "We got to get a straight answer out of you—"

"I've given it already—twice. For the third time—no!" With that the last speaker strode briskly forward.

Rising as silently as any shadow, Miss Carteret again turned her face to the port.

The man who had hissed was still there, watching the other way.

She fancied something sullen and menacing in the lowering inclination of his head, the stoop of his narrow shoulders.

Suddenly, with a mumbled word, inarticulate with anger, he turned and went swiftly aft.

Two minutes later the stewardess, hastening to answer a series of impatient rings from B75, found that stateroom bright with light and tenanted by a pale but animated young woman frantically struggling into a haphazard selection of garments, with the evident intention of making immediate appearance in public.

"Winant," do you think you could find me a passenger list?"

"Oh, surely, miss."

"I want very much to see one. Please fetch it at once."

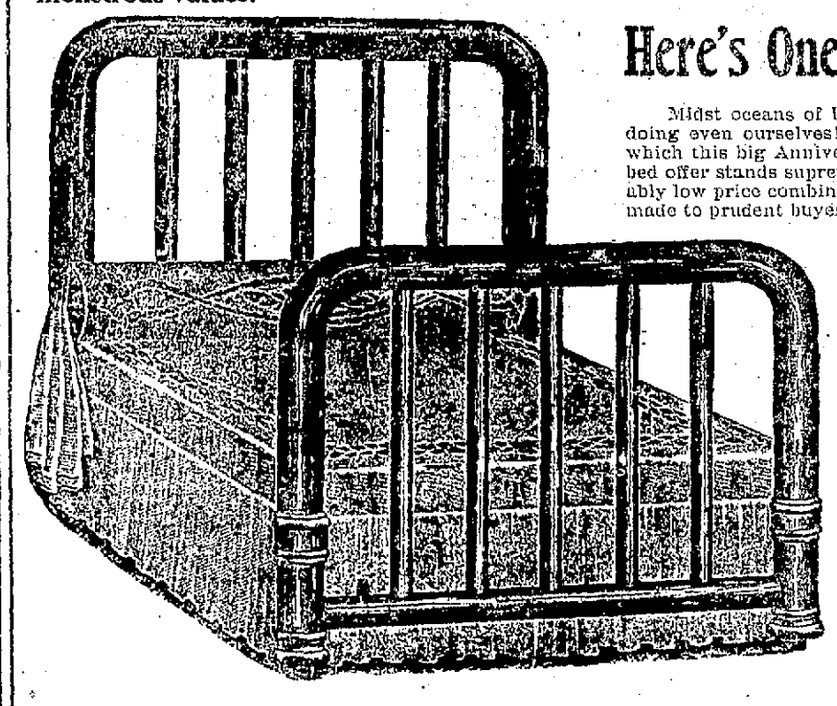
Gravely Winant shrugged and went her way, shrewdly guessing close to the cause of the passenger's excitement. "Some sweet'art, likely," she reflected with the indulgent pity of a self-supporting married woman not obliged to live continuously with her husband. "Found out some'ow 'e's on board, w'ich she wasn't expectin'."

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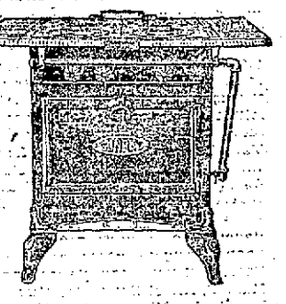
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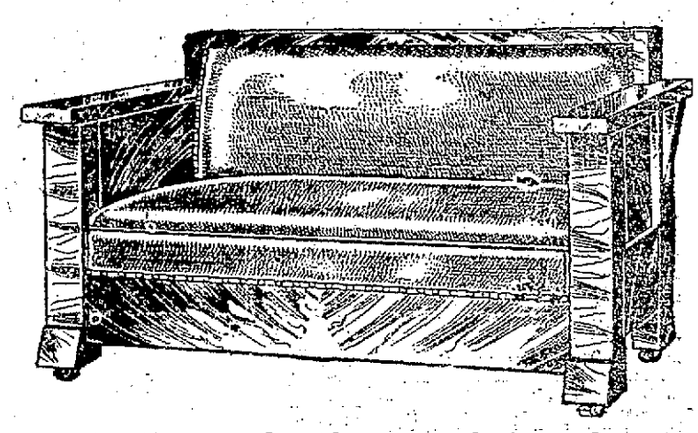
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News from Nearby Towns

Dawson.

DAWSON April 10—Dr H J Heil was a caller in Connellsville Saturday

See Nazimova in 'War Brides,' Paramount Theatre Wednesday and Thursday —Adv —10-2t

Mr and Mrs J B Henderson of Vanderbilt Mr and Mrs J P Dute, and Mr and Mrs George Armstrong of Connellsville were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs C J McGill of North Dawson

Mrs Harry Rush was calling on friends in Connellsville Saturday.

S A Conguemour is moving his family to Dawson from Connellsville.

Fire was discovered in the home of James Brown of Bridge street, Sunday An alarm was given but the fire was extinguished before much damage was done

William Brown of Glassport spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs A. C. Brown.

Howard Knight of Youngstown, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and and Mrs A E Knight of Dickerson Run

Miss Helen Belle Rush was the guest of friends in Uniontown Saturday

Miss Harriet Huston and Miss Charles Malme were shopping in Connellsville Saturday

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, April 10—Mrs. Lydia McKinley wife of Dr H. C McKinley died after a long illness at the family home on Salisbury street Sunday evening at 7 30 o clock. Mrs. McKinley was a devout member of the Main street Brethren church She was a kind and loving wife and mother, and a good friend to everybody she knew Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Miss Jessie, at home and one son Arthur, living in the South Funeral arrangements will not be made until word has been received from distant relatives

A large concourse of relatives and friends accompanied the remains of George Holtzhout from Rockwood to Meyersdale yesterday and attended the interment which was made in the Union cemetery Mr Holtzhout died in a hospital in Pittsburg last Friday. He was well known here, having resided in this locality when a boy

Mr and Mrs Samuel Sease and sons William of Mineral Point spent Easter here visiting at the home of Mrs Sease's parents Mr and Mrs W H Dexter.

Miss Elizabeth Darrah has returned home after spending two weeks with her brother-in-law and sister Mr and Mrs John Carr, in Somerset

D M R Milne and son Ross returned Monday from Morgantown W Va where they visited relatives

Thomas Carey and two sons of Somerset spent Sunday here with the former's parents Mr and Mrs Michael Carey

Miss Floren e Just who spent several days here at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs Cyrus Just returned on Monday to resume her studies at Blue Ridge College at Windsor Md

Ware Dexter who is employed at Mineral Point, is spending the week here at the home of his parents Mr and Mrs W H Dexter

James Wenner of Green Hill township had returned home after a visit here with his uncle and aunt Mr and Mrs John Sease

Miss Helen Lichty who is attending school in Philadelphia is spending the Easter vacation here with her parents, Dr and Mrs Bruce Lichty.

Mrs W A Miller and Lillian Baer spent part of Sunday visiting in Rockwood

L H Dicht of Manns Choice spent several days during the week visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs C Sides

Mr. and Mrs John Darrah visited friends in Rockwood on Sunday

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, April 10—Mr and Mrs Ernest Hershberger and son of Connellsville spent Sunday here the guests of friends

Mr and Mrs D R Dillinger and two children of Somerset, arrived here last evening and will spend a few days the guests of friends

Herbert Stuck of Mount Pleasant, spent Sunday calling on Ohiopyle relatives

T M Mitchell who has been in Wyoming for the past six months has returned to his home here

Miss Ellen Shaw spent Monday in Connellsville shopping and calling on friends

Mrs Dale Johnson is the guest of friends in Clarksburg, W Va

J L Collins was a Connellsville and Uniontown business caller Monday

L. A. Jackson was a business caller in Uniontown Yesterday

Lana Dean, daughter of Mr and Mrs Harry Dean is ill at her home on Garrett street with pneumonia

Mrs M H Hochstetler and children returned to their home here yesterday after a short visit spent at Ursina

Mr and Mrs Charles Holt and son were guests of Confluence friends over Sunday

Earl Daniels was a Connellsville caller yesterday

Mrs Seese of Humbert, is spending several days with friends here

The condition of Mrs A J Jeffries of Sugar Loaf is reported serious at this writing

Confluence.

Mrs George Long and daughter Ruth of Friendsville Md visited Mr and Mrs George Frazee from Saturday until Monday

Mrs Thomas Smith of Masontown is visiting her daughter, Mrs Charles Shaw here at present

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